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ITALIAN OF TROTTER IS THREATENED IN A BLACK HAND LETTER

Name of Man Marked for Death Withheld; Police Maintain Watch.

PANIC AMONG THE FOREIGNERS

Missive Deposited at Home of Proposed Victim Said House Would be Blown Up by Dynamite and That He Would Experience Torture.

The receipt by an Italian of Trotter of a Black Hand letter, threatening death and the destruction of his property unless $500 were deposited at a designated point near Connellsville, caused consternation today among foreigners at that place. The authorities have been notified of the receipt of the letter, and a lookout is being kept for the writers.

The recipient of the letter, whose name is withheld, draws coke during the winter and spends most of the summer trimming fruit trees and working in gardens. No reason was given for the supposed enmity of the Black Hand.

The communication received by the Italian bears the formal signature of the Black Hand. He was threatened with the destruction of his property by dynamite. The letter was left at the home of the Italian and bore no postmark.

PENROSE CLAIMS PAPERS TO BACK CHARGES AGAINST TEDDY

Third Term Candidate's Reply, Expected Next Monday, of Extreme Length.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—That he has a letter from a man advising him of **another** witness to the alleged $10,000,000 offer which he says William Flinn made for the support of Penrose and Israel W. Durham in the fight for the Senatorship to succeed Quay, was asserted here yesterday by Senator Penrose before leaving for Philadelphia. He refused to give the name of the man.

The Senator said he had in his possession many other documents that would be interesting to the public in connection with the fight he is making to "expose the character of Roosevelt and his backers to the American people." In the near future, he said, he intended to give out certain information relating to "the source of a fund of $10,000 raised to settle certain proceedings brought against E. A. Van Valkenburg, editor of the Philadelphia North American."

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Colonel Roosevelt's reply to the Penrose-Archbald statements will not be ready until next Monday morning. It will be an extremely lengthy document.

SEA GIRT, N. J., Aug. 28.—"I am absolutely in favor of publicity and welcome a thorough investigation of my campaign expenses. I have always held that position. I have always approved of it, and will welcome it as a matter of course." In this way Governor Woodrow Wilson last night outlined his attitude toward the Penrose resolution calling, among other things, for an inquiry into the pre-convention campaigns of various candidates.

FIRE RAZES DUNBAR BARN

Building Rented by Harry Groff Destroyed in Early Morning Blaze.

Fire early this morning destroyed the barn of Harry Groff on the Dolan property near Speer's hill above Dunbar, and a large quantity of hay which was placed in the barn yesterday. Volunteer firefighters, mounting the roof of Groff's home, saved that building.

The barn was rented yesterday and had been filled with hay by the lessee, John Tracy. Markers and other paraphernalia belonging to the Speer Hill Tennis Club were destroyed.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It is believed, however, that tramps sleeping in the building, were responsible for the blaze, which was discovered at 3 45 o'clock.

Father Shoots Son's Accuser.

NEW CUMBERLAND, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Because Benjamin Masters, aged 21, complained to Van Manley, aged 45, a shoemaker, that his son Douglass was continually teasing him, the father became angry and fatally shot Masters.

13 Arrested in Uniontown.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 28.—With 13 arrests yesterday, this borough netted $13 in fines and forfeits. Despite the crowds on the streets yesterday and last night, there was but little disorderliness.

PRESIDENT WILLARD AND PARTY OF B. & O. THROUGH HERE

Heads of New Railroad Pass Through Connellsville on Trip of Inspection.

President Daniel Willard and other high officials of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, passed through Connellsville at 3.30 yesterday afternoon enroute from Baltimore to Cumberland. The train stopped here only a few minutes when the trip, one of inspection, according to advices from the local B. & O. offices, was resumed.

In the party with President Millard were A. W. Thompson, third vice president; C. W. Galloway, general manager; W. H. Averell, assistant general superintendent; F. H. Clark, superintendent of motive power, and J. A. Spielman, district engineer of maintenance of way from the main offices of the company at Baltimore.

At Connellsville, Superintendent C. L. French of the Connellsville division, T. H. Miller, road foreman of engines, and T. E. Jamieson, train master, boarded the train and made the trip to Pittsburg.

The party of officials made the trip from Baltimore to Sand Patch over the Western Maryland tracks. The progress of the work at Sand Patch was inspected.

The interlocking signal system, between Sand Patch and Baltimore, which was dismantled at the time of the cave-in, is being restored. It was stated at the offices of Division Engineer Pettrl yesterday that it was expected to resume operations of trains through the old Sand Patch bore by September 1.

KEYSTONE WORKS IN DOUBLE SHIFT UNDER RECEIVER STONE

Court Appoints Experts to Put the Local Plant on Paying Basis.

W. A. Stone, receiver for the Keystone Tube Works, a Connellsville concern, said he expects to put the plant on a paying basis as rapidly as possible. Stone was appointed by the Board of Directors of the company to take charge of the works last March.

After an investigation into the financial condition of the concern, Stone recommended the appointment of a receiver and he was appointed by the court yesterday, the receivership being effective at once. Many bills, said Stone this morning, of which no record was kept, have been coming in.

The works now are operating a double shift. Acting under the direction of Receiver Stone, the plant will be operated under the management of Superintendent Dailey and Mill Manager W. J. Chubb.

Charles Schroeffler, who has been office manager of the company for some time, has accepted a remunerative position in an Ohio factory and has left to assume his new duties.

FIRE TRUCK TRAVELS OVERLAND TO TAKE PART AT UNIONTOWN

New City Apparatus Entry in the Old Home Week Water Battle.

LOCAL PROTECTION LESSENED

Removal of Machine to County Seat Considered Unwise; Burgess and Other Officials Make Trip in Automobile, Firemen by Street Car.

Connellsville's new auto fire truck, 20 members of the Volunteer Fire Department and borough officials are at Uniontown today, to participate in Old Home Week festivities. The firemen, who left here at 8 o'clock this morning, will take part in the water battle this afternoon and are bent on capturing the prizes.

The fire truck, in charge of Fire Chief Heddock and Fireman Lee Nicholson, with William Work at the wheel, made the trip overland this morning in record time, caused favorable comment.

Burgess J. L. Evans, Borough Clerk A. O. Bixler, President of Council Millard and A. A. Straub left this morning for Uniontown in Burgess Evans' automobile. Members of the fire department made the trip on a street car.

Firemen from several towns in this section of the State will participate in the water battle this afternoon. Sixty-five members of the Greensburg department, accompanied by a band, passed through Connellsville at 9 o'clock this morning on a special West Penn car. Members of the Glassport, Pa., firemen who came to Connellsville on the Baltimore & Ohio, made the trip from here by trolley.

MILLER, WITH WIFE AND 2 ONE-LEGGED MEN NABBED IN RAID

South Side Home is Entered by Police and Occupants are Arrested.

FOUR CAUGHT; TWO ESCAPE

Numerous Complaints Concerning Alleged Merrymaking in Place Leads to Move on Part of Officers—Keg of Beer Goes to Waste.

Samuel Miller and wife, charged with conducting a disorderly house, H. L. Moreland and John Pierce were arrested by Chief Hetzel and Officers McDonald and Rulli yesterday in a raid upon the Miller home, which is located near the old Crescent works on the South Side. Another man and woman in the house, seeing the officers approaching the building made their escape.

A keg of beer was being tapped when the officers arrived, it is said, but the bluecoats didn't give the occupants of the house an opportunity to finish. The four were hustled off to the city cages where Pierce, who entered the house just before the officers arrived, was released. Miller drew a fine of $10 in lieu of which he was committed to jail for five days. His wife was sent to the cages for 72 hours. Moreland drew 72 hours. Both Moreland and Miller have wooden legs.

Numerous complaints of disorderly conduct at the Miller house have been made to the police recently and the raid last night followed. The shades on the windows of the house, it is said, were drawn tightly both day and night, and sounds of uproarious merry-making frequently were heard, according to the complaints.

The officers made the trip to the Miller house on a street car but did not accommodate their prisoners with free transportation back to jail. The trip back to the City Hall was made on foot.

Alexander Erbdy, charged with being drunk, was given 48 hours in jail by the Burgess at a hearing this morning. Thomas Gannon, charged with being drunk and disorderly, also was given 48 hours.

Police court was held early this morning, the Burgess and Borough Clerk leaving before 8 o'clock for Uniontown to attend the day's Old Home Week festivities.

TAFT ORDERS TENTH INFANTRY TO NICARAGUA FIGTTING ZONE

Action of President Creates Precedent and Amounts to an Invasion.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—President Taft today ordered the Tenth Infantry, which has been stationed a Panama City, to sail for Corrinto, Nicaraugua. The President's action was taken upon the request of the State Department.

It is the first time in many years that American soldiers have been sent to Central America to quell a rebellion. Over 500 marines are in Nicaragua, and with the arrival of the Tenth Infantry under Colonel Henry R. Green, the United States will have a force of 2,000 fighting men in the revolution zone. This will be supplanted by a large naval force, including the cruisers Denver and California and several other smaller vessels.

The State Department's action in requesting the President to send more troops to Nicaragua, although it does not amount to a declaration of war, sets an important precedent in the relation of this country to the Latin-American republics.

ALLEGES HIT BY MELON RIND

Samuel J. Harry, Jr., Accuses Thomas Antoon of Assault.

Samuel J. Harry, Jr., today filed before Justice Lawrence Donegan, a charge of assault against against Thomas Antoon, proprietor of a store on the West Side. Harry claims Antoon struck him with a watermelon rind and then attempted to hit him with a pick handle.

Recently Antoon had several young men, among them being young Harry arrested on a charge of malicious mischief and disorderly conduct. The date for Antoon's hearing before Justice Donegan has not been fixed yet.

LIGONIER INQUIRY SEPT. 6.

Coroner McMurray Names Day for Probing Recent Wreck.

Coroner H. A. McMurray of Greensburg, today named Friday, September 6, as the date for holding the inquest into the recent Ligonier Valley wreck.

The inquest will be held at 10 A. M., in the Ligonier Springs Hotel, at Ligonier.

Dunbar Township School Sept. 2.

Vacation of Dunbar township school children is near an end. On Monday morning, September 2, they will return to their studies and eight months' work. The high school term is nine months. Indications are that the enrollment will be large the coming term. All the buildings have been thoroughly cleaned and some improved. A meeting of the school board will be held Monday.

MINISTER'S PHONE CAUSE OF FIGHT IN PLEASANT VALLEY CONGREGATION.

Some time this week there will be a meeting of "the sheep and the goats" of the congregation of the Pleasant Valley Presbyterian church, to be called by the youthful pastor, the Rev. Stanley V. Bergen, who because he refused to resign, is being "starved out" by the Board of Trustees.

The board declared he must resign before he receives his salary. The minister retaliated with a sermon in which he compared himself to Daniel in the lions' den and three score of the congregation became angry and walked out.

The trouble started because the preacher installed a telephone in his home. There are officers of two rival telephone companies in the church. The company whose phone is not in the minister's house has more church members than its rival, and the merry war started.

ENGLAND IN PROTEST AGAINST FREE U. S. SHIPS AT PANAMA

Great Britain Representative at Washington Hints at Charges as to Treaty.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Great Britain today, filed formal protest with the State Department against the Panama Canal Bill. Mitchell Innes, British charge de affaires, forwarded the note of protest. Exceptions are taken to the provisions of the bill granting free tolls to American coastwise vessels.

The note is a brief statement of Great Britain's grievance and informs this government that a more detailed objection will be filed later. The intention of Great Britain to take the dispute to The Hague was announced formally, with the declaration that it is held that the Panama bill is a direct violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

STATE ORDERS CLEANUP IN EVERSON; HYATT POSTS NOTICE

District Health Officer Also Probes Infantile Paralysis Cases at Owensdale.

District Health Officer Allen Hyatt yesterday notified the parents of John Terrence Laing, of Owensdale, who is suffering with infantile paralysis, to abide by the precautions urged by the State Board of Health against the spread of the disease.

Hyatt also went to Everson to investigate sanitary conditions. He notified property-owners to keep their premises clear of rubbish, which, it is alleged, is hauled from Scottdale. Hyatt recently reported the condition to the State Department of Health and received instructions to clean the properties at once. In addition to notifying the property-holders to clean up, he posted notices warning against the dumping of garbage.

SCANLON'S BODY IS FOUND

Corpse of Last of Three Miners in Lemont Workings Recovered.

The body of John Scanlon, one of three miners who lost their lives when the Lemont workings of the H. C. Frick Coke Company were flooded July 24, was recovered today, from the air shaft. The body, decomposed, was covered with water and debris.

Rescuers had passed the corpse many times during their long search.

Old Home Week at Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Aug. 28.—Old Home Week and a fair will be held in Meyersdale September 22-27, inclusive. H. C. McKinley, J. C. Hostetler, J. W. Perk, W. A. Shoemaker, and T. W. Gurley, committee on invitation and program, are sending out invitations to all former Meyersdale people to attend. The fair begins September 24 and Old Home Week opens September 22.

For Mill Run Missionary Meet.

Mrs. L. H. Leitzell, wife of the Rev. Mr. Leitzell, pastor of the United Brethren church at Scottdale, and Mrs. Nellie H. Showman of this town, will go to Mill Run Friday night to conduct a missionary meeting in the United Brethren church.

Burket Funeral at Mt. Olive.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Jane Burket will take place from the family residence at Breakneck, Friday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock, and from Mt. Olive church at 2.30 o'clock; interment in Mt. Olive cemetery.

THE WEATHER

Showers tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight is the noon weather forecast.

The Temperature.

	1912	1911
Maximum	82	88
Minimum	53	78
Mean	67	

Although Connellsville people shivered last night and this morning, no new low temperature record for August was established. In fact, three other August days have recorded a minimum temperature lower than that registered during the night, which was 53 degrees. The lowest record of this month was 50 degrees on the 5th. The mercury dropped to 51 degrees on the 4th and 52 degrees on the 3rd.

The Youghiogheny river stage this morning was 2.30 feet and the stage last night was 2.30.

WESTERN MARYLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC OPENS SEPTEMBER 29

President of New Road Advises Secretary Hoag of Commerce Chamber.

OFFICIALLY NAMES THE LINE

Terms this Division "the Connellsville;" Members of Committee Appointed to Observe Celebration of the Event, to Act Soon.

Passenger traffic on the Western Maryland will be opened Sunday, September 29, according to information received by Secretary Henry T. Hoag of the Chamber of Commerce, from President Alexander Robertson, of the Western Maryland, today. The committee appointed to arrange for the celebration in recognition of the opening of the Connellsville-Cumberland branch, will meet soon.

Members of the committee, who have been delaying plans for the celebration until notified definitely of the date of opening passenger traffic, were notified today of President Robertson's letter, which follows:

"In response to your favor of 17th instant, beg to advise that it is our expectation to inaugurate passenger service on the new Connellsville extension Sunday, September 29, 1912."

This announcement is in line with the statement made by President Roberison when he visited Connellsville upon the opening of freight traffic. At the time, President Robertson said passenger traffic would be inaugurated probably when new time schedules became effective which probably would be the Sunday prior to October 1.

In his letter to Secretary Hoag, President Robertson officially designated the new extension as the Connellsville extension. Heretofore, reference had been made to it as the Connellsville-Cumberland extension.

EX-COMMISSIONER AND COUNTY SLEUTHS NABBED AT PITTSBURG

District Attorney Charges Conspiracy to Protect Head of Suspected Clinic.

United Press Telegram.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 28.—With former County Commissioner James A. Clarke and County Detective James McKay under $5,000 bail each to answer charges of conspiracy, bribery and extortion, and a similar information against Chief of County Detectives Ira Berry, District Attorney Blakely today exposed another graft sensation.

The accused men had informations made against them following investigations of a doctor's clinic headed by H. J. Schierson, which, it is charged, conducted an unlawful business. Informations state that the three men were on the payroll of the clinic for giving protection and that they conspired to prevent Schierson from being returned to Detroit, Mich., where he is wanted on several charges.

22 SPEEDERS ARE ARRESTED

Mt. Pleasant Authorities Refuse to Make Known Names of Those Nabbed.

Twenty-two persons have been arrested for violating the speed ordinance relating to autos in Mt. Pleasant, the last few days, according to reports received here today. Arrangements have been made for an early hearing.

Owing, it is said, to the alleged neglect of the police chief to obtain the names of those arrested and, because Justice of the Peace L. H. Rose, for reasons not made known by him, refused to publish them, the identity of those nabbed was not learned today.

BACK FROM CANADA.

Local Anglers Report the Fishing Fine but Weather Wet and Cool.

F. P. Truesdale, Division Freight Agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, was a Connellsville visitor today. He has just returned from a couple of weeks fishing trip on the Canadian waters, and reports the weather cold and wet but the fishing fine.

Clark Bishop of Cleveland, O., an old Connellsville boy, is visiting relatives here. He has also just returned from a fishing trip in Canada. He reports some record catches of black bass. He expects to try the Shenandoah river fishing next week. His cousin Sam is there now.

Uniontown Man Threatens Girl?

Uniontown, Aug 28.—John Kamensky, armed with a 38-caliber revolver, a box of cartridges and billy made by tying a stone in his handkerchief, today went to the home of Pauline Krislek and it is said, threatened to kill her. She called the officers and had Kamensky arrested. County Detective John J. Smith filed a charge of carrying concealed weapons against Kamensky.

Taft to Columbus Centenary.

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 28.—President Taft left the summer White House at 8.30 this morning, and motored to Boston to leave at 10 o'clock for Columbus, O., where he will be the central figure in that city's celebration of its centenary as a State capital. The schedule calls for several stops along the way.

LOVER, BARRED BY GIRL'S MOTHER, CHOKES HER DEAD

Norman B. McCleary Twenty-three, Strangles Mrs. Annie Henry at Hagerstown, Md.

United Press Telegram.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Aug. 28.—Separated from the girl to whom he had been paying attention, and her address refused him, Norman B. McCleary strangled her mother to death. He stole $40 from his victim with which he went to Washington to seek the daughter. Arrested there on suspicion, McCleary was brought back here and today confessed to State's Attorney Wolfinger the details of the crime.

The murderer is 23 years old, and has been paying attention to Miss Lupah Henry, a young girl living in this town. The girl's mother, Mrs. Annie Henry, objected to McCleary and warned him to keep away from her daughter. Instead, they continued their meetings in secret. The mother discovered this and three weeks ago sent the daughter to Washington to visit relatives. According to McCleary he went to Mrs. Henry on August 15th and demanded that she tell him where her daughter was. The woman refused and told him that he would never be given an opportunity to see the girl again. McCleary says he brooded over the refusal until night and then decided to force the woman to tell. He went to the house after dark and reiterated his demand. Receiving another refusal, he choked the woman to death. In her stocking he found $40 and a letter showing the Washington address of Lupah. With the money he went to the capital, but his absence aroused suspicion and general alarm to the police resulted in his arrest. Brought back here, McCleary insisted he was innocent. After an all-night's questioning, however, he broke down today and told the story of the crime.

B. & O. LABORERS WORKING EXTRA TIME ON REPAIRS

Negroes at Many Points are Supplanting Italians as Workers.

Laborers on the Connellsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad are working 11 hours a day instead of 10 hours in order to complete the repairs necessitated by the recent heavy rains. It was stated at the local offices of the company today, that the company is well supplied with men on this division, a large number of new laborers having been taken on during the summer. The Baltimore & Ohio is paying laborers 16½ cents an hour.

On several divisions of the railroad, including the Pittsburg, negroes are supplanting Italians. Owing to the roaming tendency of the Italians, the negroes, it is said, are considered more satisfactory. Many Italians are returning to their native land.

Many negroes have been put to work at West Newton, Versailles and other points on the Pittsburg division. There also are a number of negro laborers on the Connellsville division.

LOCAL MEAT SHOPS REPORT ADVANCE IN PORK AND FINE BEEF

Dealers, After Raising the Price Last Week, Announce Another Rise.

19 CENTS TO GET PORK HERE

Chops Sell at 22 Cents a Pound, Retailers Claiming Three Cents for Themselves—Corn-Fed Steers Still Increasing in Cost.

Local meat dealers, following another increase in the wholesale price last week, today predicted a further increase in the retail price. The wholesale pork price charged by Pittsburg jobbers was increased last week to 18½ cents a pound and, with an additional half a cent express charges, it costs the retailers, they say, 19 cents to get the pork here.

Pork chops are selling for 22 cents, leaving a margin of three cents per pound to cover all expenses of handling and fixed expenses of maintaining business. Pork shoulder now is selling at 18 cents.

The wholesale price on corn fed beef, the highest grade, still is increasing while the cheaper grades of beef are not so high.

"There will be a decline in the cheaper grades of beef," said W. T. Muir, a local butcher, today, "but there will be no decrease in the fancy grades of beef before October, at least."

TYPHOID FEVER IN DUTCH BOTTOM LEADS TO PROBE BY CITY

Condition of Water Pipes Causes Demand for Flushing by Company.

TUBES ARE CLEARED TODAY

Four Cases in North End This Year; Two New Patients—son of James Swallop, and Mrs. Peter Rubeo—Reported to Health Board.

Water pipes in Dutch Bottom, reported by a local physician attending a typhoid fever case, to the Board of Health yesterday as in need of flushing, were cleaned today, by the Connellsville Water Company.

The matter was at once taken up with the officials of the water company by Secretary Hood, of the Board of Health. The condition of the pipes was due largely, it is said, to the flood which swept over that section of the city, Monday afternoon. There have been four cases of fever in Dutch Bottom this year.

Two new cases of typhoid were reported to Health Officer B. Rottler this morning. The 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Swallop of 602 East Gibson avenue, and Mrs. Peter Rubeo, of 507 West Gibson avenue, are suffering from the disease.

Analyses of the water both in the river and that furnished consumers is being made at least once a week by the water company, and the tests, it is said, have shown the water free from germs.

The company has a large number of laborers repairing the damage, estimated at $1,000, caused Breakneck reservoir by recent floods.

TRI-STATE CANDY GIRLS STRIKE BECAUSE FRIEND IS "FIRED"

Young Women Protest Against Dismissal of Man Who Gave Sweets.

That young women will come to the rescue of the man that furnishes candy was demonstrated yesterday, at the Tri-State Candy Company's factory when a male employe caught in the act of carrying a package of sweets to the girls at work on the third floor of the building, was discharged by Manager Harry L. Carpenter.

Hearing of the dismissal, the girls, it is said, threatened to walk out on strike, but arrangements were made soon whereby they were induced to return to work.

It is said the young men who are employed as packers on the second floor, have been in the habit of "lifting" packages of candy and treating the girls on the floor above.

FIRE TRUCK WINS PRIZE

Connellsville Apparatus Captures Honors in Parade at Uniontown.

Connellsville, with the only automobile truck in the firemen's parade at Uniontown at noon today, won the prize for the best in the parade. Greensburg, with the largest number of men in line, captured the prize for the best uniforms and South Brownsville was awarded the prize for the best-equipped hose and chemical.

The parade, with 300 firemen in line, did not move until shortly before 12 o'clock. It was witnessed by hundreds of people.

Miss Clarissa Gans, driving an auto owned by Max Hannan took the first prize in the auto parade, yesterday. Gad Sauder won second prize and Judge R. E. Umbel third. The cars of H. L. Carpenter, Dr. G. W. Newcomer, Meyer Aaron, W. W. Glotfelty and A. W. Hager of this town were entered in the parade. Judges were L. B. Brownfield, of Uniontown; Harry Hormell, of Brownsville, and W. D. McGinnis of this city.

INDIAN CREEK COAL.

Company Opens Three Veins Showing Freeport Grade in Abundance.

Openings for the new mines of the Indian Creek Coal & Coke Company indicate, it is said, a 7-foot vein of coal at White Bridge, where two openings are to be made, and a 5½-foot vein at Hutchinson, opposite Indian Creek reservoir. The mines, which are owned by Zimmerman and Mellon interests, are expected to be in operation soon.

The coal is of the Freeport grade and the holdings of the company aggregate 17,000 acres. For steam purposes, it is said, the coal is superior to Pittsburg or Somerset. It has been used in the engines of the Indian Creek Valley railroad with success.

First Shipment of Fingerling Bass for Indian Creek Expected Saturday

The first shipment of fingerling for Indian Creek will arrive here Saturday morning, according to information received yesterday by Charles F. Hood from the State Department of Fisheries. The initial shipment of two cans of the bass will be sent here from the Pittsburg hatcheries on the Pennsylvania railroad. Saturday morning, and immediately will be transferred to Baltimore & Ohio Train No. 18 and taken to Indian Creek, where they will be deposited in the stream near White Bridge.

The request, filed some time ago, was for 100,000 of the bass. Hood today, was unable to say how many fish will be in the first shipment of two cans. He expects shipments from other hatcheries soon.

The order for bass was made some time ago, and it was expected to have the fish here in the spring. Notice was given, however, that the fish would not be shipped until this fall.

South Connellsville Man is Fined $12.50 a Whirl for Game Squirrel

Because Walker Laughrey of South Connellsville, caged a squirrel which the game warden in the district alleged was not of the tame variety, he was arrested, taken before Justice Edenbo of South Connellsville, and fined. The fine and costs in the case it is said, totaled $12.50. Laughrey was ordered to release the squirrel.

The game warden said he obtained squirrels of the species in question and released them in the wooded lands near South Connellsville. Recently, one of the little furry fellows sampled plums on a tree in Frank Pierce's yard. It was claimed the animal caged by Laughrey was that which raided the plum tree.

Thomas Evans, Veteran, Ill.

Thomas Evans, a Civil War veteran, living in South Connellsville, is reported to be in poor health at his home. He is suffering stomach trouble, and at times, is confined to his bed.

SOCIETY.

At Old Home Week Fete.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Munk and two children, Mrs. C. D. Anderson, Mrs. Pearl Hellen and two children, Miss Margaret Jean Berg, Mr. and Mrs. William Herzberg and children, Miss Elizabeth Werner, Miss Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Mestrezat, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hager, Dr. G. W. Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. John Duggan, Sr., and family, A. D. Solsson, Rockwell Dull, Dr. T. H. White, Stewart Stillwell, William Dull, Donald Reid, Malcom Scott, Curtis Harrer were among the Connelsville persons who took in the Old Home celebration in Uniontown yesterday. Among those from here who are taking in the celebration today are Mrs. John Smutz, Mrs. James Cypher, Jr., Miss Della Hoop, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Campbell and daughter, Squire P. M. Buttermore, Miss Gwendolin Richter.

Shipman-Brownfield.

The marriage of Miss Faye Willard Shipman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shipman of Alliance, O., and William Watson Brownfield, son of I. H. Brownfield of Uniontown, was solemnized Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride. Miss Marie Brownfield of Uniontown, was a member of the bridal party. After a Lake trip Mr. and Mrs. Brownfield will be at home in Uniontown.

W. C. T. U. Will Meet.

A meeting of the South Connellsville W. C. T. U. will be held Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Julia Collins on Pittsburg street. All members are urged to be present as business of interest will be transacted. Business pertaining to the annual county convention to be held in Uniontown, will be transacted.

Public Meeting.

Over 50 members and friends of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Brethren church attended a public meeting held last evening in the church. The meeting opened with devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Nellie H. Showman. Mrs. I. H. Leitzel, wife of Rev. Leitzel of Scottdale, was present and made the principal address of the evening. Her subject was China, and a number of Chinese curios were exhibited. Mrs. Leitzel is president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Allegheny branch. Her talk was instructive and interesting. Little Miss Nettie Kooser was attired in a Japanese costume and gave a recitation in a pleasing manner. The Society color, lavender was effectively carried out in decorating, many boquets of asters being used as floral decorations. Following the meeting at the church a social hour was held at the parsonage. Ice cream, cake and coffee was served. The favors were small Japanese fans. Miss Gertrude Hitchinson of Mill Run was an out of town guest.

Delightful Birthday Party.

In honor of her 11th anniversary, Margaret O'Hara, daughter of Mrs. Mary O'Hara of Tenth street, delightfully entertained friends yesterday afternoon. The hours were from 2 until 5 o'clock. Various games were indulged in and a dainty luncheon was served.

Vogel-Cassidy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogel of Johnstown have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Stella Vogel and Tom Cassidy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy of Conemaugh. The marriage was solemnized at 6 o'clock in St. John's Catholic church at Johnstown by Rev. Father Cawley, an assistant priest at the parish. The attendants were Miss Agnes Cassidy, a sister of the bridegroom, and Cecil Cherry. The bride is a school friend of Miss Mary O'Hara and frequently visited at the O'Hara residence. She has many friends in Connellsville. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy will make their home with the bride's parents.

NO NEW POPLAR GROVE SCHOOL

Directors Fail to Obtain Deed; Township Term Sept. 10.

A new Poplar Grove school house in Connellsville township, for which the contract recently was awarded to J. H. Berger of Scottdale, will not be erected this year because no deed to the property has been obtained. The school directors probably will hold a special session in a few days to provide for the accommodation of the pupils. There is insufficient room at the Washington school. A building probably will be rented.

The township schools will open September 9. The next regular meeting of the school board will be September 10.

DON'T SUFFER FROM ECZEMA.

A new treatment has recently been discovered by a prominent physician which is guaranteed to cure all skin diseases or blemishes. This new treatment is called Hokara and is not only greaseless and antiseptic, but contains no lead, mercury or anything that will injure the most delicate skin.

Wonderful and gratifying results follow its use and it is guaranteed to quickly relieve and cure the most obstinate and chronic cases of eczema, pimples, ulcers, itch, piles, etc.

Get a jar to try and if not satisfactory when used as directed we will return your money if you will bring back empty jar.

Liberal jar 25c, larger sizes 50c and $1.00.

A. A. Clarke, local agent.

At Mennonite Conference.

The following program was carried out at this afternoon's session of the 15th annual convention of the Mennonite Sunday School conference, in session at the Springs Mennonite church near Meyersdale: "Childrens meeting, conducted by A. H. Hershberger; "Modern Sunday School Methods and Their Value [illegible] Work in This District [illegible] "The Cradle Roll Department," [illegible] (2) "Teacher [illegible] Rose, Scottdale. (3) [illegible] D. Miller [illegible] "Present Day [illegible] "The Child," J. A. R[illegible] "The Home," Noah Metzler; "The School," H. M. Leither; "The Bible Vocation," J. D. Miller; "The Church," Daniel Kauffman, Scottdale.

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Then advertise it in our classified column. Cost—one cent a word.

BETHLEHEM ENLARGES PLANT BY 75,000 TONS A MONTH

Reports Tell of Beginning of Construction on Six New Open Hearths.

Official announcement was made today by the Bethlehem Steel Company that work has begun on the building of six additional open-hearth steel furnaces of 75 tons capacity each, to be added to the Saucon department. This will increase the output of the plant to 75,000 tons of steel ingots a month. Other additions to be made include the extensions to steel buildings, installation of hot metal mixers, large electrical cranes and other equipment. All the capacity of the new furnaces will be put on Bethlehem and standard structural steel shapes, and open-hearth rails. The drop forge department will be considerably enlarged by the construction of a new warehouse and a treating and finishing department contracts have been let for additions to the general office and armor plate office at South Bethlehem. It is announced that these improvements will cost several million dollars and are the first part of an extensive enlargement program planned which was arranged for by a recent bond issue.

Only a short time ago it was announced semi-officially that the extensive improvements and enlargements planned by the company would be held up indefinitely, because of the protective tariff on steel products.

FOR M. E. EPWORTH LEAGUE

Arrangements Made for Old Folks' Day in Church September 14.

At the monthly meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church, last evening in the home of the Misses Lysinger on Johnston avenue, the following committees were appointed to arrange for Old Folks' Day, to be held in the church, Saturday afternoon, September 14: Invitations Philip Swartzwelder, Miss Hazel Weber, Miss Sarah McDiffett, Miss Birdella Miller, Miss Furney Lambert and Miss Lucille Wolf, program, Misses Anna Horner, Sue Lessig, and Edgar Horner, decorating, Misses Furney Lambert, Ruth Miller, Freda Rhodes, Katherine Kell, Ruth Cunningham, Ralph Moore, Joseph Buttermore and Henry Bierer; reception, Misses Birdella Miller, Hazel Weber, Anna Rebecca Myers, Myrtle McDiffett and Helen Carroll; lunch, Mrs. Lottie Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth A. Williams, Mrs. John Franks, Mrs. L. S. Michaels, Miss Mary Kane, Miss Carrie Kenyon, and Miss Eula Miller; table, Misses Sarah McDiffett, Gertrude Cypher, Katherine Francis, Hattie Henry, Iva Mason, Lucille Wolf, Mrs. George McClay and Mrs. Edward Poole; cab and carriage, Philip Swartzwelder, Paul Wolf, Russell Engleka, Harold Clasper and Howard Reppert.

Arrangements also were made for a rally to be held Sunday, September 8. Efforts will be put forth to have every member of the league present on that day. A special program will be given.

Reports and suggestions were given by the members who attended the Epworth League Institute of the Pittsburg Conference at Ridgeview park. A social hour followed. Various games were played and refreshments were served.

MAN IS IMPROVIDENT

But Insects and Animals Save for Future Needs.

One of the queerest things in life is that Man, who has been given brains and reasoning power, is less provident than insects and animals. The busy bee lays up honey for the winter; the squirrel fills his storehouse with nuts, and even a dog buries a bones for another day. It is only men and women who expect, apparently, to be fed and clothed always in some miraculous manner and consequently often feel the pinch of poverty. How much wiser it is to put by a little regularly for the future—to have a savings account in a good, strong bank—The First National of Connellsville, for instance, where savings are absolutely safe and earn 4 per cent interest.

Miss Podvin Weds Neal.

Miss Minnie Podvin, daughter of Mrs. Emma Podvin of Dunbar, and Joseph Neal, a railroad man, of Uniontown, were married yesterday afternoon at 5.30 o'clock, in the home of the bride, near the Furnace. The Rev. T. Milton Gladden, of the Methodist Protestant church, officiated. The bride was attended by Miss Emma Laughrey; Thomas Podvin, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Members of the two families witnessed the ceremony. A wedding dinner was served.

Notice to Taxpayers.

October 1, 1912, 5% will be added to school taxes and October 10, 1912, 5% will be added to all other taxes. Delinquents must make immediate payment of their taxes as I cannot carry them any longer, and forced collections mean additional costs. H. C. Netton, Tax Collector. aug26-28-30

POSTED.

Wifey—Henry, what is the difference between direct taxation and indirect taxation?

Hubby—Why, the difference between your asking me for money and going through my trousers while I'm asleep.

PERSONAL.

Chauncey Mitchell, a clerk in Graham's drug store, is spending his vacation at Uniontown. He is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Charles Randall.

J. W. Wilder, who fell sometime ago and dislocated his shoulder, is getting along very slowly.

Mrs. John Gilligan, Mrs. Joseph Gilligan and little daughter Jane, of Latrobe, are the guests of the Misses King of Prospect street.

Miss Mary King of Church Place, is visiting friends at Smock.

Miss Eva Weddinger of Carnegie avenue, left today for a visit with friends in Canton, O.

Miss Dorothy Edmunds, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Edmunds, is visiting friends in Versailles this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walters of the West Side, witnessed the firemen's parade in Uniontown this morning.

Miss Mabel Graft and Clarence Graft are visiting in Uniontown this afternoon.

A pouch of a blue serge suit to your order for $18. Dave Cohen, Tailor.

S. W. Metzler is here from Uniontown today on business.

Miss Harriet Minder, a teacher in the public schools, arrived home this morning from Wyoming, where she spent her summer vacation.

Letter Carrier and Mrs. W. H. Friend and children, Mrs. Frank Zanehl and children, Ralph and Benton, have returned from an 18 days' outing on the Albert Friend farm, near Bear Run. Mrs. James S. Darr and children Ivanore, Caroline, Anna and Ruth, who are camping at the same place, will remain a week longer. Mr. Darr returned home yesterday.

H. P. Sauter and Miss Rebecca Sauter are attending the Shriners' picnic today at Kennywood park.

Mrs. F. J. Brown of Avon Park, Fla., and Miss Rebecca Paxton of Baltimore, have returned home after a several months visit with the Misses Sauter of Washington avenue.

Miss Mercedes Gladden, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Gladden of Houtzdale, is visiting friends in Greenwood.

Mrs. R. A. Tlate and son, Frank, of Pittsburg, are the guests of the former's mother Mrs. J. F. Holleran of Cedar avenue.

Mrs. Lizzie Weber and daughter, Miss Mayme and Miss Emma Weber of Meyersdale, are the guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hurley of West Main street.

Miss Anna McDiffett, of the West Side, will leave tomorrow for Mannington, W. Va., to visit her sister, Mrs. John Boles, who is ill.

Mrs. W. S. Clingerman and children of Scottdale, were in town yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Seeley are home from a trip to Cedar Point and Detroit, Mich.

W. J. Reager of Tampa, Fla., has returned home after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reager of Trump avenue. He was called here by the death of Mrs. Dianna Robbins. Andrew Reager of Chicago, was also here for the funeral and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reager.

RAILROADS' BRIEF AS TO PAY INCREASE FOR MEN, FILED

Document With Commission Argues Against Raise Asked by the Employes.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The brief of the 52 railroads in the eastern territory in answer to the demands of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers for increased pay, aggregating $7,000,000 annually, has been filed with the arbitration commission, which heard evidence for two weeks at Manhattan Beach recently, and which is to decide the controversy. The commission, of which Oscar S. Strause is chairman, will meet again about September 10.

The brief for the railroads was prepared by William McKinley Duncan, who represented the 52 railroads at the hearing.

It argues that standardization of rates of pay and rules of service is impracticable and inequitable; that railroad employes are better paid than labor in other occupations; that engineers as a class receive higher wages than any other class of railroad employes; that there has been no change in the conditions of service since the last adjustment, and no circumstances shown why there should be a change in rules of service or rates of pay so as to increase the aggregate compensation paid engineers, that the demands of the engineers relative to the exclusive operations of electric motive power are unjust and contrary to public policy, and that the financial situation is such that wages cannot be increased without serious effect upon all of the roads and actual insolvency of some, ultimately resulting in placing the greater portion of the burden upon that part of the public whose annual compensation is far below that now received by the engineer.

Galley Meet at Dickerson Run.

The annual reunion of the Galley family is being held today at the Galley homestead at Dickerson Run. Representatives of the family from all over Fayette county and distant points are in attendance. Ewing Galley is president and O. C. Galley, secretary.

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"Our baby squalls all night long."

"Don't be discouraged. He may grow up to help nominate a President some day."

Are you worried over the high cost of living? Practice economy by using

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Best quality—goes further—costs less; a whole pound for 20c.—½ lb. 10c.—¼ lb. 5c.

All good Grocers sell it or will get it for you.

SUED ON OPTION

Uniontown Operator and Others Defendants in Waynesburg Action.

A suit in equity was filed Tuesday at Waynesburg by Henry Jacobs Jefferson Call, Lydia Grim, Ella G. Mincer and Abraham Mincer, Blanche Summersgill, Robert L. Grim, Beecher Grim, Loran Grim, Frances Pirrman, W. F. Pirrman, widow and heirs of Samuel Grim, Odessa Null and Telford R. Null, a minor, Citizens Title & Trust Company of Uniontown, guardian of Telford Null, widow and heir of F. M. Null, and J. V. Thompson, Thomas S. Lackey, William H. Binns and David M. Hertzog.

From the plaintiff's statement it seems he entered into an agreement on August 21, 1899, with Jefferson Call and Samuel Grim to sell to them a tract of coal in Richhill township, containing 235 acres and 33 perches. The price to be paid was $11 per acre. It seems that this agreement was assigned to J. V. Thompson, W. H. Binns, Thomas S. Lackey and D. M. Hertzog. The coal was to be accepted and money paid by January 1, 1900. The plaintiff claims that the option was never accepted and that no money was ever paid. The option has since been recorded and it is to have it cancelled and stricken from the records that action is brought.

Scottdale Girl Pittsburg Teacher.

Miss Eva Rittenhouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rittenhouse, of Chestnut street, Scottdale, has been elected by the Board of Education of Pittsburg a teacher in the schools. Miss Rittenhouse is a member of the class of 1912 of Bucknell university.

From W. Va. For Throat Operation.

Sheriff and Mrs. W. H. Brand and daughter, Miss Dessie, of Monongalia county, W. Va., are here today, for an operation on Miss Brand's throat.

FOUR THROAT OPERATIONS

Children Submit to Ordeal in Cottage State Hospital; Other Patients.

Mrs. Ella Kingin, aged 16 years, of South Connellsville was admitted to the Cottage State Hospital yesterday afternoon for an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Annie Nadrach, aged 19 years, of Lemont, also was admitted for an operation.

John Albert Beyle, aged five years, of this town; Dessie Brand, aged 11 years, of Morgantown, Gladys Johnson, aged three years, of Scottdale, and John Alexander, aged five years of Scottdale, were operated on for throat trouble this morning.

Get the Dollar a Week Habit.

Saving money is a good habit to encourage. If you form the habit of saving a dollar a week, you will accumulate money without knowing how you did it. It will not call for any great amount of economy either. Yet a dollar a week, with interest at the rate of 4% in twenty years will amount to $1612.00. We invite you to open an account and become one of our systematic savers. Citizens National Bank, 138 Pittsburg street.

Mrs. Munson at Veterans' Meet.

Mrs. S. E. Munson left this morning for Pittsburg, to spend a few days visiting friends and to attend the annual reunion of the 63rd regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers at Knoxville, a suburb of Pittsburg, tomorrow. Mrs. Munson's father, the late John A. Danks, was colonel of the regiment.

Radcliffe, Jr., New Engineer.

A new engineer arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Radcliffe of South Connellsville, at 11.30 this morning, in the person of a 12-pound son. Radcliffe is a well-known Baltimore & Ohio engineer.

A Tin of

Instant Postum

---sold by grocers at 30c

makes about 50 cups of a delicious beverage tasting much like the mild, rich, high-grade Javas of the Orient (so hard to buy at any price nowadays.)

This royal-flavoured food-drink not only saves money in these days of the high cost of living, but is preferred by many former coffee drinkers because of its pleasing taste and freedom from the coffee drug, "caffeine."

Instant Postum Requires No Boiling.

It is regular Postum in concentrated form—nothing added.

It is made by stirring a level teaspoonful in a cup of hot water and adding cream and sugar to taste. Housewives appreciate that because it saves time, work and fuss in the preparation of a meal.

Iced Postum—First dissolve in hot water; then pour into glass or pitcher containing ice. Add lemon and sugar as desired.

Instant Postum is sold in tins containing sufficient to make about 100 cups at 50 cts. Smaller tins making about 50 cups cost 30 cts.

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Ask your grocer about it. If he doesn't have Instant Postum send his name and address and a 2-cent stamp to cover postage and we will send you a 5-cup, free sample of this new food-drink.

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A Bell Telephone would be invaluable then — to get the doctor, QUICK, or to have the druggist rush over with a "first aid."

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Connellsville, Pa.

Funeral Services for General Booth Will be Held in 870 American Towns

LATE PICTURE OF GENERAL BOOTH
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NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Funeral services for General William Booth will be held at 3 P. M., Sunday, September 1, in all of the 870 towns where the Salvation Army has posts. The founder of the organization will be buried Thursday, August 29, at the Abney Park cemetery, Stoke Newington, near London, after a funeral procession from the international headquarters of the army. Funeral services will be held the previous night at Olympia, the largest hall in London, at which all members of the army will be present.

Nature's Way Is The Best.

Buried deep in our American forest we find bloodroot, queen's root, mandrake and stone root, golden seal, Oregon grape root and cherrybark. Of these Dr. R. V. Pierce made a pure glyceric extract which has been favorably known for over forty years. He called it "Golden Medical Discovery."

This "Discovery" purifies the blood and tones up the stomach and the entire system in Nature' own way. It's just the tissue builder and tonic you require when recovering from a hard cold, grip, or pneumonia. No matter how strong the constitution the stomach is apt to be "out of kilter" at times; in consequence the blood is disordered, for the stomach is the laboratory for the constant manufacture of blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery strengthens the stomach—puts it in shape to make pure, rich blood—helps the liver and kidneys to expel the poisons from the body. The weak, nervous, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people experience at this time of the year is usually the effect of poisons in the blood; it is often indicated by pimples or boils appearing on the skin, the face becomes thin—you feel "blue."

J. G. Kent, Esq.

"More than a week ago I was suffering with an awful cold in my head, throat, breast, and body," writes Mr. James G. Kent, of 710 L. Street, S. E., Washington, D. C. "Some called it La Grippe, some pneumonia. I was advised by a friend to try a bottle of your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I tried a bottle and it did me so much good that I feel safe in saying it is the greatest and best medicine that I ever took. My health is much better than it was before using your medicine. It does all you claim for it and is satisfactory."

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Frank G. Schomer better known as Dutch Schomer, having bought the interest of Philip P. Notter is prepared to do all kinds of cement work at 15 cents a square foot.

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The News of Nearby Towns.

Mt. Pleasant.

MT. PLEASANT, August 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Horner of Warren, O., formerly residents of this place, who came to attend the Horner reunion on the Leighty farm are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyers, of West Main street.

Merch Kline, who is confined at the Memorial Hospital here with typhoid fever, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Margaret Shupe, a delegate from the local lodge to the Pythian convention at Harrisburg, has returned home after having paid a visit to the Rev and Mrs. S. G. Yahn, of Harrisburg, a former Church of God pastor here.

Charles Stephens has returned home after a visit paid Pittsburg friends.

Mrs. Agnes Walker and daughter Aileen left yesterday on a two weeks' visit to her sons W. Pearl Walker and Watson and H. M. Walker, of Indiana, Pa.

Miss Margaret Gerast of Greensburg, is the guest of Miss Violet Crosby, of East Main street.

Lewis McMaster of Sewickley, is the guest of Thomas Croft of Eagle street.

Harold Rumbaugh has returned home after spending the summer with his father, Marion Rumbaugh at Seattle, Washington.

Miss Margaret Hurst entertained 18 of her friends with a fancy work porch party at her West Smithfield street home [illegible] afternoon. Lunch was served and [illegible] spent. Among the [illegible] guests present were Miss [illegible] of Scottdale and Miss Gertrude Neel of Greensburg.

The game of [illegible] played between the P. O. S. of A. and the [illegible] of I. A. [illegible]

[illegible]

Perryopolis.

[illegible]

After [illegible] taking a vacation from work, having run a nail through his foot.

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, August 28.—Mrs. Vanhorn and daughter of Scottdale, are the guests of Mrs. A. J. [illegible] this week.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and children left [illegible] morning for Humbert, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fike and children left Tuesday morning for Humbert, where they will reside. Their household goods were moved Monday.

William Rittenour of McKeesport, came up last evening to visit with friends in town for a few days.

Mrs. J. P. Grindle of Greenbrier, spent a few hours of yesterday shopping and visiting with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Horton and children of Connellsville, are visiting with relatives and friends at and near this place this week.

Joseph Mills who has spent the past few months with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rafter, here, left yesterday for his home in Somerset.

Mrs. Edward Shultz was shopping and visiting with friends in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. Clara Dull and baby of Connellsville, are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Meyers, this week.

"Everybody's Doing It."

Well, perhaps, not everybody, but a vast number of level-headed men and women are joining the Fayette Building & Loan Association. Why? Because its Full Paid stock pays 5%, its Installment stock from 6 to 8% and every dollar invested is secured by first mortgage on improved real estate. There is no better way to save or to buy or build a home than the Fayette offers. See Geo. W. Stauffer, secretary, J. D. Porter, Second National Bank Bldg., or Robert Norris, 101 W. Main street.

SOME LATE SUMMER IDEAS.

A pretty white satin hat in pierrot shape, was noticed recently with a band of white velvet and a bunch of coque feathers at the front.

The collar of black satin worn with it had a wide frill of heavy net top lace, set on with tiny white satin buttons. Across the throat were two black velvet bands bearing rhinestone buckles.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Aug. 28.—H. La Long, traveling salesman of Connellsville, was in town calling on patrons Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Kretchman of Pittsburg are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mollie Kretchman this week.

Mrs. Alice Lingenfelter has returned home after a two weeks' visit with friends in Indian Head.

Hon. and Mrs. N. B. Critchfield of Uniontown, were guests of Mrs. J. B. Brown here Monday.

Mrs. A. W. Wallace of Kentucky, is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bears.

Mrs. William Howell of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie Kretchman, and also her sister, Mrs. Ava Groff.

Mrs. Ida McDonald, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. G. J. McDonald for the past 10 days, returned home Monday.

Miss Martha Wetner and Edith Eckert of Pittsburg have returned home after having spent the last three weeks at the Lininger Castle.

Mr. J. T. [illegible] and baby of Pittsburg are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Groff.

J. A. Nedrow of Somerfield, was in town on business Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. B. Cotton and two children of Dawson, are spending a few days with the former's grandmother, Mrs. J. B. Brown.

Park McMullin of Addison, was in town on business Monday and Tuesday.

Clyde Hyatt of Pittsburg, who has been spending several weeks the guest of Joe Conghenour of Oden street, has returned home.

Frank McKee of Pittsburg, is spending a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Frank and [illegible] Nellis of Pittsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frank, Monday and Tuesday.

Carl Easton of Watson, is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. E. S. Pobell.

Ellis Largent of Addison was in Confluence on business, Monday.

Stewarton.

STEWARTON, Aug. 28.—Samuel Shopley of Scottdale, is spending a few days with his parents here.

Several people went from here to the barn raising at Peter Steyer's last Wednesday.

Curtis Rugg was visiting his brothers in Somerset county last Sunday.

J. H. Nevill and C. G. Slater, who have been spending their vacation with their parents here, will return to school at Ada, O., next Monday.

A surprise party in honor of Lincoln Rugg was well attended at the home of his parents last Friday evening.

George Herwick, Jr., of McKeesport, is spending his vacation with relatives at Stewarton.

C. M. Miller was in Connellsville on business Friday.

W. H. Friend and family, who have been camping near Stewarton for the past two weeks, returned to their home in Connellsville yesterday.

The forenoon session of the Sunday school convention at the Baptist church, Sunday, September 8, will be devoted to lesson study and superintendents' hour.

Mrs. C. B. Sipe is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Burdette at Ohiopyle.

Willis Brooks of Scottdale, was calling on friends and relatives here over Sunday.

Star Junction.

STAR JUNCTION, Aug. 28.—Mrs. Emma Stevens and son, John, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Blair, have returned to their home at Steubenville, O.

Roy Miller of Connellsville, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Orbin O'Neil of Steubenville, O., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Newmyer.

Doctor J. L. Cochran's Bible class will have a corn roast Friday evening.

F. M. Dunham of this place, is ill at this writing.

Dunbar.

DUNBAR, Aug. 28.—Mrs. William Smith was shopping in Connellsville, Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Herbert spent Tuesday in Connellsville the guest of relatives.

Miss Jennie DeVan is shopping in Connellsville today.

Miss Rachel Somans of Connellsville street, is visiting in Connellsville, the guest of Mrs. Levi Hoover.

Mrs. Robert Cooper of Connellsville, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hicks.

Miss Elizabeth Steele of Donora, returned home today, after spending a few days the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Joseph Farrell and children of Speers Hill, were visiting friends in Masontown over Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant church will hold their regular meeting Thursday, August 29, at the home of Mrs. Florence Anderson. All members will meet at the new waiting room at 1.30 o'clock.

Miss Sara Reiner is in Uniontown attending Old Home Week.

Mrs. Charles Baker was shopping in Connellsville, Tuesday.

The Rev. E. B. Burgess of Connellsville, was a caller here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelly of Pechin, returned home today, after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Newark, N. J., New York, Ocean Grove and Philadelphia, and witnessed the baby parade at Ocean Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGibbons are in Uniontown attending Old Home Week.

Dr. E. B. Gile was in Connellsville on professional business today.

Miss Lucy Randolph of Vanderbilt, spent Tuesday the guest of Miss Anna Jacobs.

Mrs. Maggie Jacobs and daughter, Clara, returned home today from McKees Rocks, where they have spent the past two weeks the guest of friends.

Miss Clara Groehon was shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. Barney Baker is shopping in Connellsville today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Vance were in Connellsville attending the funeral of Mrs. Robbins.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a lawn fete at the home of J. S. Carroll on Thursday evening, August 29th. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are cordially invited to attend.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Aug. 28.—W. H. Martin has a severe attack of typhoid fever at his home in Georges township a mile out the High House road.

The unsettled condition of the weather has kept many from this end of the county from attending the opening exercises of Old Home Week at Uniontown.

T. R. Lynch, manager of the New Salem supply store for the Struthers Coke Company at Fairbank, wife and two children, Jessie and Cecil, will start Monday on a month's vacation. They will go first to Meriden, Kansas, where they will visit Mrs. A. Moser, Mr. Lynch's grandmother, and other relatives in that section, when they will extend their visit to Denver, Colorado, returning about the first of October.

L. D. Ramsey of Baxters Ridge, was a business visitor Tuesday evening.

D. R. Griffith of Uniontown, was a business visitor, Tuesday.

The Second Baptist Sunday school, colored, held a picnic in Weaver's Grove, Tuesday, and a festival on Thomas Moore's lawn on Church street at night.

H. C. Showalter of Kansas City, Mo., is here to see his father, the venerable J. W. Showalter, who has passed his 90th mile stone on the journey of life.

H. R. Sackett took in the auto parade at Uniontown with his Buick car, Tuesday.

Greensburg Coal Chief Quits.

Edward Soppitt, general superintendent of the Jamison Coal & Coke Company's mines in the Greensburg field, has resigned. Soppitt's resignation takes effect September 1. He resigned to accept the general superintendency of the Latrobe-Connellsville Coal & Coke Company's big holding in the Latrobe field.

Have The Daily Courier delivered at your home or office every day.

STRONG IMAGINATION.

Kitty—Gracious dear! And were you very nervous when you guided your first automobile?

Daisy—I should say so. I ran over a white rabbit and thought it was a cow.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

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One Square from Everywhere

1 doz package full weight Seidlitz Powders. Regular 25c size, Friday, 2 for 26c.

1 bottle Citrate Magnesia, fresh made, U. S. P. formula, regular 25c, 2 for 26c.

Keene's Glad Pheet Corn Cure, 25c size, 2 for 26c.

Claro Tonic, $1.00 size, 2 for $1.01.

Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, regular $1.00, Friday, 2 for $1.01.

Green Mountain Renovator, $1.00, Friday only 2 for $1.01.

Blue Jay Bunion Plasters, regular 15c, Friday 2 for 16

Traveling Sets, complete Ladies' and Gent's Tooth Brush, Soap, Wash Rag, Cold Cream, Talcum Powder, regular 75c set, on sale Friday 2 for 76c.

Nipples, regular 5c ones, on sale Friday, 2 for 6c.

Pneumatic Cushion Pad Hair Brush style A, regular price $1.50, on sale Friday 2 for $1.51.

Imported Toilet Soap, finest make. A very delicate and pleasing odor, regular 15c a cake, Friday 2 for 16c.

Keene's Chirco-Pepsin Tablets for indigestion, regular 25c size, 2 for 26c.

Castor Oil caps., 40 min. size, regular 15c package, on sale Friday, 2 for 16c.

Johnson & Johnson's Red Cross Kidney Plasters, regular 25c size, 2 for 26c.

Violet Dulce Toilet Water, regular 75c size, on sale 2 for 76c.

Dr. Clayton's Dyspepsia Tablets, regular 25c size, Friday 2 for 26c.

Rexall Violet Talcum Powder, 25c size, 2 for 26c.

Regular 98c Hot Water Bottle, best quality, 2 for 99c.

Cold Cream, 15c jar, 2 for 16c.

5c Chewing Gum, all kinds 2 for 6c.

Rexall Pile Ointment, regular 25c, 2 for 26c.

Rexall Headache Pills, regular 25c 2 for 26c.

Rexall Disappearing Skin Cream, 50c size, 2 for 51c.

Phos. Soda Granular in 1 pound boxes, regular 25c, 2 for 26c.

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Always look and act successful. Today, personal appearance goes a long way and no one can be careless regarding the impression they create. It requires a stretch of imagination to believe a stoop-shouldered fellow possessed of much energy.

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Rexall Eczema Ointment, 50c size, 2 for 51c.

Nail Files, 25c, 2 for 26c.

Straw Hat Dye, 25c, 2 for 26c.

Liberty Talcum, 10c, 2 for 11c.

French Briar Pipes, regular 25c, 2 for 26c.

Rubber Gloves, 75c, 2 for 76c.

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20c size, 2 for 21c.
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At Soda Fountain, orangeade, regular 5c, 2 for 6c.

Any kind of Sundae or Ice Cream Soda, 2 for 11c.

10c Hand Scrubs, Friday, 2 for 11c.

Regular $3.50 Whirling Spray Syringes, no valves to get out of order, and elegant value at $3.50, on sale Friday 2 for $3.51.

Our checking room at your service free. You can check your baggage, umbrella or packages here and get them when ready to catch your car.

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WEDNESDAY EVE'G., AUG. 28, 1912.

DEMOCRATIC INCAPACITY.

The incapacity of Democratic government as illustrated in the work of the Democrats in Congress during the present session, adverted to in these columns yesterday, has been the subject of caustic review by the Honorable James R. Mann, Republican floor leader. Commenting in his commentary, the Pittsburg Gazette Times says:

Mann declares that, thanks to a Democratic House, the session just ended has passed fewer and less consequential laws than any in recent years. The House failed to act on over 200 bills which had passed the Senate. Instead of effecting economies, as they had promised, the Democrats indulged in extravagance. The most important measures which became laws were really originated by Republicans, some of them having been handed down from previous Congresses that were Republican. The ordinary appropriations for the session exceeded in amount those of the last Republican session. Mann's conclusion is that the Democrats of the House have shown themselves to be "inefficient, disorganized, unprogressive and inactive." His statement is explicit and convincing.

As all the world knows, the House devoted its energies, fortunately without ultimate results, to radical revisions of certain Tariff schedules. These were so destructive in their character that they were modified by a coalition in the Senate but even so they contained such a positive menace to industrial conditions that President Taft vetoed them. The public, however, can hope for no assistance from the White House in the matter of Tariff legislation if a Democratic President and Congress are chosen at the approaching election. In that event we should not only have in power a party which is inept in constructive legislation, but one whose capacity for injury to capital and labor by means of economic experiments would be without check. To avert this outcome of the campaign of 1912 should be the first duty of intelligent and discriminating voters.

The voter who has been afflicted with an attack of the spirit of political unrest had better analyze his symptoms carefully and hesitate long before administering a dose of Democratic medicine, especially that decoction known as Horizontal Tariff Reduction, which is poison to prosperity. The Tariff Board, designed by the Taft administration to take the Tariff question out of politics and reduce it to a business basis, is the true remedy for such Tariff evils as may exist.

In spite of all that is charged against the Republican party by its enemies, both Democratic and Progressive, it must be admitted that IT HAS GIVEN THE NATION GREATER ADVANCEMENT AND THE PEOPLE GREATER PROSPERITY THAN THEY EVER KNEW BEFORE, ALL THIS IN SPITE OF THE UNDENIABLY HIGH COST OF LIVING.

THE VALUE OF FUELS.

It has come to be understood that the value of fuels depends wholly upon their chemical and physical qualities, hence the wise consumer buys coal and coke by quality as well as by quantity.

The modern consumer is no longer satisfied to pay a uniform price for the coal or coke of a certain region or district. It has been learned that the general classification is not always a reliable recommendation. The character of the coal in the same field often varies greatly. It is no secret that the quality of Connellsville coke differs materially in different portions of the region, even in the central basin technically known as the Connellsville region proper.

The time is not far distant when consumers generally will insist upon their coal and coke being up to certain definite specifications as to heating and smelting qualities. In the July price war it is suspected that some of the furnacemen running on Connellsville coke had reason to know the value of fuel specifications.

In the inspection of fuel, however, the producer as well as the consumer should be represented. It is not likely that the former would consent to have his product passed upon and paid for solely on the report of the agent of the latter.

Over in Bedford county joy riders are arrested for tooting their horns too loud or too long. The peaceful vales of Bedford will not be trifled with.

The open season for birds and game and squirrels will begin September 1. The season was thus far been well open for Bull Moose and Blind Tigers. They are entitled to one's ... of the ... all of which have been quite plentiful this season.

One of Connellsville's industries has gone into the hands of a receiver, but that is not necessarily a sign of bad business, and in the case in point it is no sign at all. The company has just concluded the construction of an addition to its mill in order to expand its capacity to the increased demand for its product. Under such circumstances the receivership will probably be of short duration.

It is always better to "look out for the locomotive" whether the sign is at the railroad crossing or not.

Judge Ruppel is after the delinquent Road Supervisors of Somerset county. Several of them have already been indicted for neglect of duty in not keeping the roads in their townships passable and more prosecutions are to follow. This is a proper boost for the Good Roads movement in Somerset county, but the court should not forget that this has not been a good year for Good Roads. There may be mitigating circumstances which should have proper consideration.

The Spanish-American soldiers want a law passed giving their widows pensions. There should be no discrimination in the matter of granting pensions.

The Connellsville postoffice building promises to be a record job.

When some people are out in "company" they are always looking for something to gossip about when they return home.

Even justice must not exceed the speed limit in Connellsville.

Colonel Roosevelt says Senator Penrose is a cuttlefish. Who stirred up the ink?

Senator John Sharp Williams refers to the late Pennsylvania Republican State Convention as "the Church of Latter Day Saints presided over by Archbishop Bill Flinn."

The Apostle of Armageddon promises to get well greased before the campaign is over.

The Socialist ticket should have been Stein and Seidel. It would have been more alliterative and more attractive to the frothy members of the party.

When a man's enthusiasm begins to wane he is dodging success.

Lawyer Darrow perhaps didn't bargain to have to defend himself as well as his clients in the McNamara case.

Connellsville's militant minister says he is going to resign anyhow. Perhaps that is the reason his defiance of the lightning rivals that of ancient Achilles.

The summer campaign against the chestnut bugs is over, but the campaign against the Bull Moose microbes has just begun.

Governor Glasscock of West Virginia has become a sudden convert to the probing industry. It's quite the style, and Progressives want to be in it as well as of it.

Connellsville's health conditions are good in spite of rains and floods.

Sidewalk reform has struck the South Side.

The Penrose Probe promises to be a more serious thing than the Big Stick.

In some industrial centers labor is not so scarce as it is disinclined.

Paint Creek, down in West Virginia, still has on its war paint.

Many a man has professed to hear a call to go out into the world and preach, but few hear the call to come in.

SOLOMON'S NURSE

By Isaacs of Yukon.

"Hello, is this the Temple hospital?"
"Yes, who is this?"
"This is the news editor of the Jordan Valley Sentinel. Who am I talking to?"
"Say, how is Solomon today?"
"Oh, nothing to brag on. His temperature slid up three points this afternoon when Wife No. 367 came in and made him sign a deed to a little property near Mingo Junction. She said she wanted in on the ground floor before the creditors got a whack at his estate."
"We heard on the street that he had cold sweats. Anything to it?"
"Nothing of the kind. He had a chill this morning when Wife No. 217 called for some money to buy winter underclothing, a brass bed, clothes wringer, meat grinder, market basket, pneumatic sweeper and a vinegar jug. She told Sally that he promised to get her those things eight years ago but he fell down on his promise."
"Say have you been able to find out whether Sol willed his estate to just a few of his wives and forgot the rest?"
"Now look here, I don't know and I must answer another 'phone call. Hello, yes, yes this is the Temple hospital—who is this—is this the Lake Galilee Unconsolidated Ice Company?"
"Yes, this is it, what do you want?"
"I want you to send a man over here right away with a tub full of cracked ice for the king's sideboard. The beer has become stale and the flavor of the lobsters is fading."
"Can't come right away, as the iceman has to drive over to the Queen of Sheba brewery to get the ice. Our congealer broke down yesterday morning and we had to send to Joppa to get a machinist to fix it."
"You don't say. Well that means that the king will be in great distress on account of ice to not mix things. Hello, hello, who is this now talking?"
"This is the Dead Sea Drug store. Say we have a bill for drugs that we want cashed. The thirty days have gone. It's 367."
"That bill was paid."
"No it wasn't. This is a new bill contracted by Wives Nos. 62 and 65. We thought the king's credit was good and we sold them a lot of anti-fat and asbestos pills."
"Well, you will have to give the bill to a collector. I won't pay it. Goodbye."

WHY CONGRESS ADJOURNED

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

Colonel Roosevelt is to speak at the Minnesota State Fair early in September.

Arthur E. Reimer, the Socialist Labor candidate for President, is only 35 years old.

The Progressive party in New York has selected for its official emblem a mooseshield within a black square.

W. Bourke Cockran, formerly the star orator of Tammany Hall, has declared himself in favor of Roosevelt for President.

William J. Bryan has promised to stump the State of Indiana this fall in the interest of the Democratic national and State tickets.

Col. John T. McGraw, Democratic national committeeman from West Virginia, has announced his candidacy for the seat of United States Senator Watson.

It is said that more representatives in Congress have voluntarily declined to stand for renomination this year than ever before in the history of the Government.

The Democrats had 162 votes in the Electoral College four years ago. They must have 266 votes in the next Electoral College in order to elect the President.

Kentucky has the largest number of negro voters—75,000. Pennsylvania comes second with 70,000 and Maryland, New York, Missouri and Illinois come next in the list.

Comparatively few persons are acquainted with the fact that since Andrew Jackson no President of the United States has served two consecutive terms except Gen. Grant.

The Rev. Aaron S. Watkins, the Prohibition party candidate for Vice President of the United States, will be formally notified of his nomination at his home in Ada, O., on September 5.

Representative John W. Dwight of the Thirtieth New York district, who has been the Republican whip of the House for several years, has decided that he will not again be a candidate for Congress.

The contest for the Republican nomination for governor of Massachusetts this year is between Joseph Walker, former speaker of the State assembly, and Everett C. Benton, a former member of the governor's Council.

The women are to vote this year for President in the States of Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, California and Washington. The six States have a total of 38 votes in the Electoral College.

The Swedish-American Republican League, for many years an influential factor in Illinois politics, has decided to take no active part in the present campaign because of dissension in its membership caused by the foundation of a third party.

It is estimated that 3,0000,000 new voters will appear in the general election next November. There will be 2,650,000 male voters enfranchised by age alone, and about 1,350,000 women and newly naturalized citizens.

Somerset Man, 82, Is Dead

SOMERSET, Aug. 28.—Alexander Casebeer, aged 82 years, one of the best known citizens of Somerset county, died at his home, about two miles east of town Monday night. He was a veteran of the Civil War, and a member of the Knights of Maccabees. He was a Republican and held various township offices. For many years, he had been a notary public. He was born in Stoyestown, June 11, 1830.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—MACHINIST AT WEST PENN RAILWAYS SHOPS. 28aug1td

WANTED — A HOUSEKEEPER. Family of three. Address BOX 216, Dunbar, Pa. 27aug3td*

WANTED—ONE CHAMBER MAID and one dining room girl. BALTIMORE HOUSE. 15augtfd

WANTED—GIRL TO RUN SODA fountain. Apply 305 E. FAYETTE STREET. 26aug3td*

WANTED — AT ONCE, EXPERIENCED cook, man or woman. Apply FERNCLIFF HOTEL, Ohiopyle, Pa. 23augtfd

WANTED—AT ONCE, ENGINEER for steam roller. Apply JAY DAVIS, Secretary, Connellsville township road supervisors. 23aug6td

WANTED—AT ONCE, 25 LABORERS 8 hour day. Good pay. BOLLINGER-ANDREWS CONSTRUCTION CO., Broad Ford, Pa. 5julytfd

WANTED—AT THE OLIVER COKE plants Nos 1, 2, 3, coal miners and coke drawers. Apply to foreman of the respective plants. 8maytfd

WANTED—TWO WOMEN TO CANVASS. Apply FICKS' CREDIT CLOTHING HOUSE, opposite Wyman Hotel, from 6 to 8, evenings. 28aug2td*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE. Apply 217 Carnegie Ave. aug7tf

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE on Haas avenue. Inquire of ROBERT NORRIS. aug21-27-29-31

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE, Race street, South Connellsville. Inquire MARY D. NEWMYER, 507 S. Pittsburg street. 28aug3td*

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM BRICK house with modern conveniences. Also one four-room house. Inquire KAIL'S BANK. 26augtfd

FOR RENT—ONE 6-ROOM HOUSE, modern conveniences. Also one furnished front room. Inquire 221 E. APPLE STREET. 21augtfd

FOR RENT—THREE FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, with bath. Corner Race street and Davidson avenue. Tri-State 815. 21augtfd

FOR RENT—DESIRABLE APARTMENT, 5 rooms and bath, South Pittsburg street and Gallatin avenue. Inquire of J. DONALD PORTER, Second National Bank Bldg. 17augtfd

For Rent.

FOR RENT—12-ROOM HOUSE with all modern improvements on Fairview avenue. Inquire S. M. GOODMAN, Trans-Allegheny Hotel. 21augtfd

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE on East Main street. All conveniences. Two squares from Brimstone Corner. Bell Phone 225-L or 238 E. MAIN ST. 21augtfd

For Sale.

FOR SALE—LOT OF FINE PIGS from one to six months old. Inquire S. J. HARRY'S FARM. 26aug6td

FOR SALE—EAST END ACRE Garden Lots at bargains. Inquire of CHARLES L. GRAY, Connellsville Distilling Company, Connellsville, Pa. 27martfd

FOR SALE—GOOD SIX YEAR OLD sorrel horse. Here is chance to get good horse. Price $200. Also wagon and buggy, strong working harness and driving harness, 305 E. FAYETTE STREET 26aug3td*

FOR SALE—THE HOMESTEAD OF Samuel M. Long, situate on East Main street, Connellsville, Pa. Will sell on easy terms. Inquire HUMBERT LONG, Scottdale, Pa., or P. S. NEWMYER, Connellsville. 9augeodtf

FOR SALE—1911 FORD TOURING car in good running order, fine tire and treads, engine in A 1 condition. A $900 proposition for $150; account quitting business. Demonstration given. Call or write JOSEPH RICARD, P. O. box 542, Smithton, Pa. 26aug6td

FOR SALE — PENNSYLVANIA farms. In the "Land Worth Living," where crops are bountiful and crop failures never heard of. Close to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. A population totaling over ten millions, where markets are unequaled, where educational facilities are superior. Steam, trolley and macadamized roads everywhere. Social conditions are above reproach. A section where hundreds of good rich farms can be bought for less than the cost of buildings. Here is an opportunity for happiness and wealth. Send for catalogue. Come and inspect. We pay your board and carfare. "It pays to see us." J. B. THOMPSON, West Chester, Pa. aug14-21-28-sp1-11*

Lost.

LOST — BETWEEN DICKERSON Run and Trotter a package of charts for mandolin-guitar harp. Reward if returned to H. C. HUBBARD, 138 S. Pittsburg street. 28aug1td*

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore subsisting between C. R. Wilson, M. A. Kiefer and J. S. Amend, under the firm name of the National Fuel Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent, the said J. S. Amend retiring from the firm. The said C. R. Wilson and M. A. Kiefer will continue the business as partners under the old firm name, by whom all debts owing to the old partnership are receivable and to whom all claims and demands against the firm are to be presented for payment.

28aug3t

C. R. WILSON,
M. A. KIEFER,
J. S. AMEND.

Abe Martin.

It's been purty dull around th' Wilson Club rooms since th' papers printed a picture o' th' Gov'ner in a golf uniform.

There's lots o' delightful sensations but up-to-date ther hain't nothin' that equals findin' a paper dollar in a ole vest.

THE VALUE of well-printed neat-appearing stationery as a means of getting and holding desirable business has been amply demonstrated. Consult us before going elsewhere

Newest Designs in

Rugs for Fall

Those who expect to purchase floor coverings this fall—for the parlor, dining room, library, bed rooms or elsewhere in regular or odd sizes, a visit to this old home store will greatly aid you in deciding just what will be the most suitable. While the change of style in floor coverings is not so great as in wearing apparel, yet there is such a marked improvement in patterns that the design is just as important as the quality.

Our showing this fall offers many advantages to the trade. The famous Sivas & Kashgar Wilton Rugs are shown in 27x54, 36x63, 9x12 and 11-3x12 and are the finest rugs on the amrket today at the price. They come in rather neat conservative patterns in rich soft tones and are the ideal rug for the home both as to appearance and wearing qualities. We also have a choice collection of Body Brussels, axminsters and Tapestry Brussels in new and exclusive designs, sizes 18x36, 27x54, 36x72, 6x9, 8-3x10-6, 9x9, 9x12 and 11-3x13-6. These are right up to our regulyar high standard of quality and very moderate in price.

Carpet Department—Second Floor.

Free! Ask the saleswoman about the Butterick Pattern given free with every purchase of the Autumn edition of Butterick Fashions

Fine Serges.

Imperial and French Serges, about 44 inches wide and shown mostly in blue, tan and grey. Right now in demand for school dresses, coats and suits by those who expect to do their fall sewing early. Good values at....... **50c & $1**

Silk Poplins.

Something in the way of fine rich looking materials for evening dresses or all dress up occasions. Come 42 inches wide and shown in light blue, pink, lavender, green, navy, black, white, brown, etc. Exceptional in quality and priced the yard at.......... **$1.50**

Children's Underwear.

The famous "M" Brand, "Mothers Idea," the same as advertised in all the leading household magazines. Built upon scientific principles, hold its shape and excellent to wear. Diaper supporting Infant Bands and Shirts, and Children's Shirts, Waists and Union Suits. Once used always used, because they are the most practical undergarment to be had. Prices 15c and 25c, and Union Suits, 50c. Ask to see them.

E. DUNN

N. PITTSBURG St. CONNELLSVILLE.

The New Walk-Overs.

Men! We Want You to See.

"Right Up to Snuff."

We have them all in now and we want you to see them. The new toes are the "dope" in the high toe, and the "round up" in the low toe. You will like them. They are good fitters.

There is scarcely a factory today making Shoes for men, but what copy their last from Walk-Over. They set the pace for all of them to follow. Let us show you the originals. Try Walk-Overs next time. $3.50, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

Downs' Shoe Store

127 N. Pittsburg Street, Connellsville.

OUR TAN SHOES

The Woman, looking for the very best she can buy for $3, $3.50 or $4 is sure she can find them here—and she will.

The Man, looking for the best pair of shoes that can be bought for $4, $4.50 or $5 is sure that he'll find them here—and he will.

HOOPER & LONG,

104 West Main Street.

HAPPENINGS OF THE DAY IN THE BUSY MILL TOWN

Residents of Walnut Avenue After Council for Street Paving.

THEIR CLAIMS STRONGLY URGED

Represent That They Will Waive Damages and Pay Within Thirty Days—Mt. Nebo Congregation to Celebrate Anniversary With Special Meetings—Other Notes of News.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Aug. 28.—Citizens of Walnut avenue are engaged in a vigorous campaign to secure the paving of that street from Chestnut street up to Grove street, and there were 16 or 17 residents of that section appeared before Council in its special meeting last evening and urged their claims for the improvement. They offered that if Council will pave the thoroughfare this year they will waive damages and will pay for the improvement within 30 days of its completion. One of the strongest features urged by them was that with the great amount of grading along the street, the making of new sidewalks and other improvements around the school buildings it will leave the street itself in very bad shape and a constant eyesore and expense. It was suggested that the borough will save a great deal of money in the future by the making of the improvements now and the Finance Committee was instructed to find out if they can secure about $5,000 within the next three months. The paving proposition is being urged for very strongly, and it seems that with all the improvements being done in that section that Council will miss a good thing if they do not do the work this year, when conditions are so favorable to the paving. There were seven members of Council present at the meeting. Citizens of Loucks avenue will likely appear at the next regular meeting of Council and will bring before that body the claims of the Loucks avenue people for paving their street.

BUILDING NEW STABLE.

W. D. Fretts, whose stable was burned from a flash of lightning in the terrible storm of Sunday a week ago, is getting ready to build a new stable on his place near the White school house. The stable was struck in one place and burned down and the horses which were struck by two bolts within a few minutes of the first one did not burn although there were holes torn down through the ends of the house.

TO UNIONTOWN.

Over 25 members of the Scottdale Fire Department went to Uniontown [illegible] Firemen's Day of Old Home Week.

MT. NEBO MEETINGS.

The fifty-fourth anniversary of the founding of the Mt. Nebo United Brethren church will be commemorated with special services which open on Sunday, September 1, at 10:30 o'clock, the commencement of the Teachers' Training class will be held. Rev. W. L. Muir, pastor of the Reformed church of Scottdale will deliver an address. On Thursday evening there will be a sermon by Rev. A. P. Wilson, pastor of the U. B. church of Connellsville, and on Friday evening the sermon will be by Rev. S. E. Fostlewaite, pastor of the U. B. church at Mt. Pleasant. Sunday, September 7 will be Home Coming Day and on that day at 10:30 there will be [illegible] former members of the congregation. At 2 o'clock there will be an address by Rev. W. A. Sites, pastor of the U. B. church of Latrobe. Dinner will be served on the church lawn and in case of rain in the Mt. Nebo school house. All the services are open to the public, and everyone is invited to bring their baskets and enjoy the day with the congregation.

GAVE A DINNER.

Miss Elizabeth Anderson entertained at a dinner in honor of Misses Bessie Brown of Rochester and Mildred Davis of Ingraham at the New Scottdale House on Saturday evening. Misses Brown and Davis are the house guests of Misses Edith and Sarah Gallagher of Connellsville. Besides those named there were present: Misses Margaret and Marion Withers of Connellsville, Miss Marie Loucks of Brownsville and Mrs. Adeline Anderson, Mrs. Hester A. Anderson and Misses Adeline and Mary Kate Anderson.

HOME FROM VACATION.

George L. Detwiler and H. A. Jackson of Scottdale and William Lane of Youngwood arrived home yesterday from West Virginia where they spent 10 days fishing for bass in the Potomac. They report having caught a large number of fine fish. C. B. Edwards and family who accompanied Mr. Detwiler and Mr. Jackson will stay the week out.

NEW MAIL ORDER REVISED

Lock Box Matter Delivered as Usual; No Sunday Forwarding.

Plans were perfected by Postmaster [illegible] yesterday at Washington, and forwarded to the local office whereby the administration of the new law prohibiting the delivery of mail on Sundays will have no serious effect on the handling of important matter.

Holders of lock boxes at first and second class post offices will have access to them as usual, although no mail delivery will be made by carriers on the street or at postoffice windows.

Mail for hotel guests and newspapers will be delivered to their lock boxes.

W. M. Bates Ohiopyle Factory.

The old spoke factory which has been a landmark in Ohiopyle for years, is being torn down. The plant is on the Western Maryland railroad, which ordered it razed.

SOMERSET CRIMINAL COURT

Monday.—M. E. Sell, charged with embezzlement, Andrew B. Yasko, prosecutor; William Abell, aggravated assault and battery, Emma M. Whitacre, prosecutrix; Emma Abell, aggravated assault and battery, Emma M. Whitacre, prosecutrix; G. C. and Lizzie Shrader, malicious mischief, W. H. Baer and Samuel Albright, prosecutors; Samuel Caranna, assault and battery with intent to kill, Gary G. Spangler, prosecutor; Hattie Wilson, selling liquor without license, Harvey E. Bittner, prosecutor; Jacob Roth, larceny by bailee, Victor Grotosky, prosecutor; G. C. Berkheimer, larceny, H. R. Eckins, prosecutor; Samuel J. Moust, William H. Shaer, and Wesley Garey, Supervisors of Lincoln township, neglecting public roads, Edward H. Shaulis, prosecutor; Frank Ringer, carrying concealed weapons, H. P. Burnworth, prosecutor; Frank Boyenosky, aggravated assault and battery, Joseph Metyetsky, prosecutor; Charles Smith, Jr., violating liquor laws, Tillie M. Schrock; John N. Kaufman, embezzlement, S. S. Thomas, prosecutor; Richard Roe, C. M. Garvin and Patrick Doyle, selling liquor without license, Phillip S. Rhoads, constable, prosecutor; Jacob Walegover, selling liquor without license, Phillip S. Rhoads, constable, prosecutor; C. C. Walls, forgery and false pretense, H. P. Burnworth, prosecutor; Jere H. Pile, larceny, Sylvester Christner, prosecutor; Harry E. Weighley, false pretense, William Niederheiser, prosecutor; L. F. Baller, burglarly and larceny, E. F. Ludwig, prosecutor; Walter Morgan burglary and larceny, E. F. Ludwig, prosecutor.

Tuesday—John W. Mostoller, Henry Sumey, and Harry Gardner, Supervisors of Quemahoning township, neglecting public roads, Jacob Escherick, constable, prosecutor; Harry Fritz, Frederick St. Clair and Isac Gashaw, Supervisors of Jenner township, neglecting public roads, Frank E. Shaffer, constable, prosecutor. Albert Lowry, violating mining laws, Richard Maize, State Mine Inspector, prosecutor; Jane Mitchell, malicious mischief, Clarence C. Thayer, prosecutor; Noah Mitchell, malicious mischief, C. O. Thayer, prosecutor, Andrew McQuade, larceny, Homer K. Cramer, prosecutor; Carlo Rubels, Rosa Russels, and Nicholas Feloso, pandering, Acella Portanti, prosecutor; Charles H. McIntyre, larceny, Annie Covella, prosecutrix; Arthur Ickles, embezzlement, Charles Mowry, prosecutor; Andrew Rachael, assault and battery, John Colon, prosecutor; John T. Swearman, assault and battery, Harvey Tedrow, prosecutor; Lulu Long, larceny, G. Newton Schrock, constable, prosecutor; George Lazar, assault and battery, E. B. Dayton, prosecutor. H. M. Alexander, obstructing a public highway, J. C. Bender and Edward Matthews, prosecutors; N. J. Rodgers, assault and battery, C. S. G. Gallagher, prosecutor; Harry Smith, assault and battery, H. G. Hay, prosecutor.

Wednesday—Thomas Crissey, desertion, Mary E. Crissey, prosecutrix; Frederick R. Auspach, false pretense and embezzlement, Henry Meyers, prosecutor; Charles Dockso, alias Charles Gust, assault and battery to ravish, Rosy Beolick, prosecutrix, Mrs. Steve Corpela, assault and battery, George Gyoment, prosecutor, Charles A. Keller, offense against morality, Lucy Yoder, prosecutrix, Leonard Cox, offense against morality, Sarah E. Hoch, prosecutrix; George E. McMillen, offense against morality, Elsie Lape, prosecutrix, Irvin Sipe, offense against morality, Harriet Day, prosecutrix; Harry Oelschlager, offense against morality, Hattie B. Cramer, prosecutrix; Harry E. Ellenberger, offense against morality, Mae Stone, prosecutrix; Luther Perkey, offense against morality, Gertrude Zimmerman, prosecutrix; Ralph Kuhlman, offense against morality, Pearle Younkin, prosecutrix; Ira Snyder, offense against morality, Ada Younkin, prosecutrix, Leroy Pryor, offense against morality, Pearle Hoasr, prosecutrix; Frank Burnett, offense against morality, Mae Welmer, prosecutrix.

500 AT BEERBOWER MEET

Members of Family From Connellsville, Dunbar and Elsewhere Present.

The first annual reunion of the Beerbower family was held at the Twin Churches, Glade Farms, W. Va., Saturday. There were nearly 500 present. Of the 13 children of Phillip Beerbower, Jr., four are living. Three were present, Harrison, of Manassas, Va., aged 79, Henry Clay, of Albright, W. Va., aged 73, and Zar, Glade Farms, W. Va., aged 61. The other survivor Mrs. Hannah Beerbower Beatty, wife of the Hon. H. C. Beatty, Whetsell, W. Va., aged 75, was unable to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Beerbower and son Port, United, Pa.; Mrs. Mattie Beerbower Beckard and family, Gibbon Glade, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beerbower and daughters, E. Luelle and Eleanor B. Dunbar; Mrs. Emma Beerbower Gribble, husband and son James, Greensburg; Dr. L. George Beerbower, son Stafford, Terra Alta, W. Va.; Mrs. James M. Beerbower and son, Robert, Uniontown; Mrs. Jane Beerbower, Albright, W. Va.; Mrs. Zar Beerbower and children, Jesse, Ernest and Ida, Glade Farms, W. Va.; Mrs. Augusta Beerbower Mitchell, husband and son, Glade Farms, W. Va.; Mrs. Zadie Beerbower Cuppett and family, Glade Farms; Earl Beerbower, Fairchance; R. C. Beerbower and daughter, Ethel, of Connellsville; Miss Do Berry, granddaughter of Nancy Beerbower, W. R. Beerbower's children, of Glade Farm and many others, were present.

Those from a distance were Dr. Charles E. Beerbower of Baltimore, Md., his son Frank E. Beerbower and wife of the same city, and Mrs. Mollie Beerbower Beamer, widow of the Rev. W. D. Beerbower, of Salem, Va. Kiforle's nine-piece orchestra of Connellsville, rendered excellent music.

The address of welcome was by E. E. Cuppett, of Glade Farms, W. Va. The response was by R. C. Beerbower of Connellsville. A historical sketch of the family illustrated by a chart showing six generations was given by C. W. Beerbower of Dunbar. The orator of the day was Attorney D. E. Cuppett of Thomas, W. Va. His subject was the "Pioneer of the Glades." Dr. Charles E. Beerbower of Baltimore, descendant of Casper Beerbower, brother of Phillip Beerbower, Sr., spoke of the deeds of some of the earlier settlers and of the late Fred Beerbower, who was with the Perry expedition to Japan. The late Vincent Beerbower, member of the State Legislatures of Nebraska and of Idaho, he said, was Lieutenant-Governor of Idaho and United States special counsel to prosecute the Mormons in Utah. He also spoke of Austin Beerbower, lawyer, author and philosopher.

The reunion ended with a campfire and corn-roast at the old homestead. A committee composed of Bert Beerbower, United; Mrs. Zadie Beerbower Cuppet, Glade Farms, W. Va.; Ernest Beerbower, Glade Farms, W. Va.; R. C. Beerbower, Connellsville, and Dr. L. George Beerbower, Terra Alta, W. Va., were to arrange for date and place of next meeting. Lake Terra Alta was spoken of as the probable place of the next reunion and Zar Beerbower promised a fine beef for a roast.

Leisenring Pool Ready Soon.

The swimming pool in the hall at Leisenring will be completed about the middle of September, it is said. The building is being converted into a natatorium by the Frick Coke Company.

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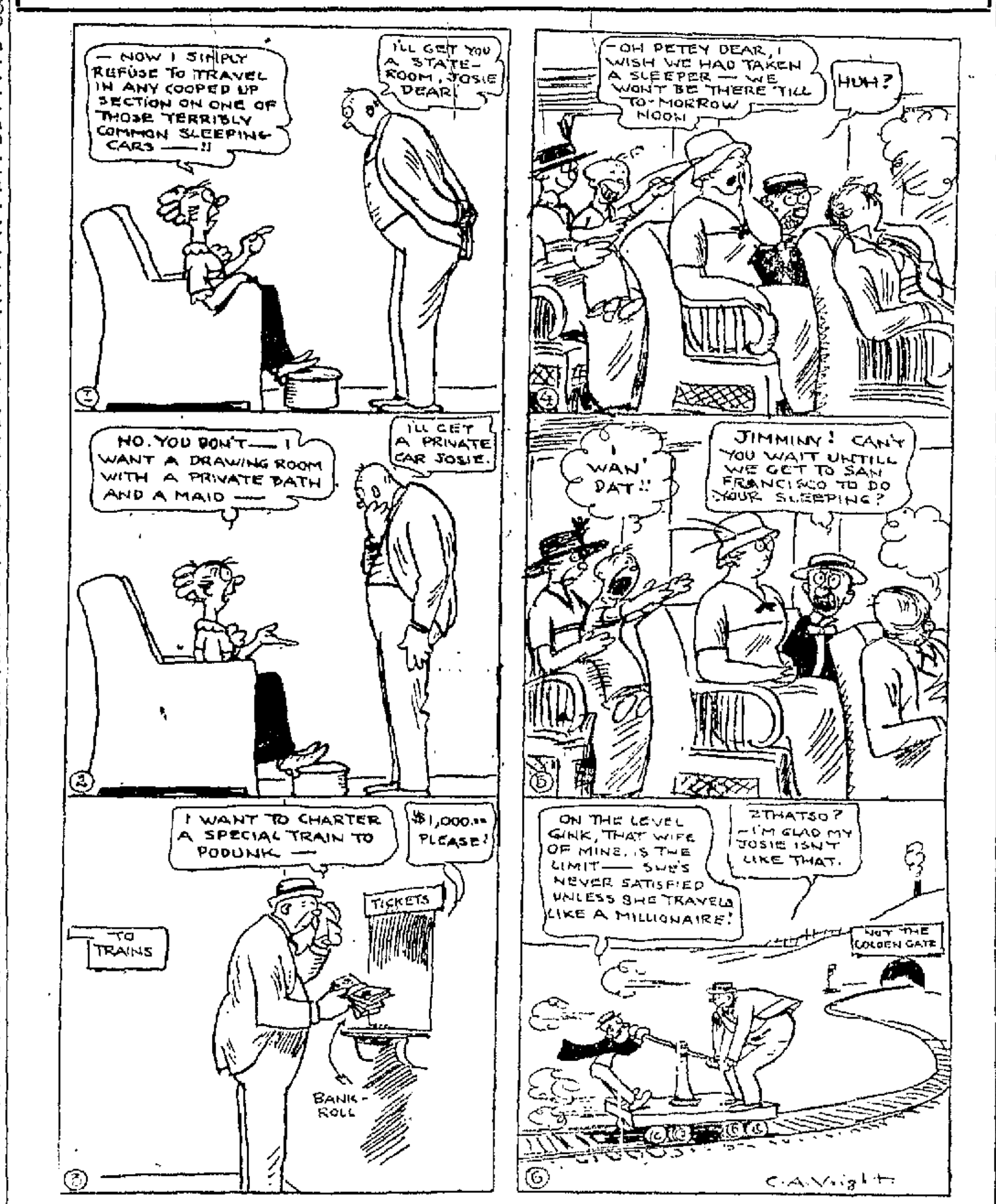

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NEW FALL GOODS

Early Announcement.

It is a little early; the middle of August, to announce fall and winter goods, yet the Union Supply Company are now receiving daily, large consignments of their fall and winter merchandise. The goods coming in consist of men's and boy's clothing; mens and boys shoes; women's and misses' and children's wraps of all sorts; suits and shirt waists. Large lines of shirts for men, neckwear, suspenders, hats, etc. To complete our fall purchases, our store managers are now in the markets, and within a few days our stores will be loaded with large and complete stocks in every department. A few odds and ends in summer goods are yet on hand, but are being closed out rapidly. If you want to buy them, they are yours for a very low price.

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GEOGRAPHERS OF WORLD TOURING UNITED STATES

Eminent Mapmakers of Europe Now In This Country.

Two Months Will Be Spent Visiting Points of Interest.

AMERICA is now harboring the most distinguished body of geographers that ever gathered in this country. Thirty-seven learned men from twelve foreign lands make up the party. They are here as guests of the American Geographical society, which is celebrating its sixtieth anniversary and the completion of its new building in New York, the finest and largest possessed by any geographical society in the world, by piloting the foreign savants on a transcontinental tour and showing them all the geographical sights between the Atlantic and the Pacific coasts.

They started from New York Thursday, Aug. 22, to be gone until the middle of October. Then, after a round of banquets and other entertainments, the visiting professors will sail to their various faroff homes filled, presumably, with a thorough knowledge of American geography obtained on the spot, so that they will be able to give their students a clearer idea of the New World than could be obtained from any other source.

In the party are some of the most famous of contemporary geographers, men who have devoted their lives to the science and written books on its various branches that are considered the last word on the subject. The countries which they represent are Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Italy, Denmark, Russia, Norway, Holland, Belgium and Switzerland. No less distinguished are the American geographers who are acting as their guides on the transcontinental excursion. Practically every one of the leading American universities and colleges are represented among those who do honor to the foreigners on the long journey and at the entertainments that are one of its features. Professor William Morris Davis of Harvard, one of America's foremost geographical authorities, is director of the tour.

Expects to Pilot Party.

One of its most striking features will be that the foreigners will have what is interesting geographically in each section of the United States pointed out to them by local experts to whom these sights are as an open book. In this way they will have an unexampled opportunity of really getting to know the country. In the case of learned men like themselves, quick to grasp the essential features of a geographical landscape, there is no doubt that they will easily assimilate all that is told them and will be able on their return to describe it in accurate terms, thus spreading through Europe a correct idea not only of our geography, but of our mineral, agricultural and other natural resources.

The American members of the party, some of whom will take the whole trip, while others will accompany the foreigners only through certain sections, realize that their principal task will be to impart to the visitors this clear understanding of what they see. Therefore none but those thoroughly acquainted with each of the different sections of the country will be delegated to give a description of it. These experts will give field talks, which may be amplified while the party is en route, for the special train which will transport the geographers will be provided with a geographical reference library and a complete outfit of topographical and geological maps of the districts traversed. By means of all this it is confidently expected that by the time the Europeans return to New York next October and turn their faces toward home they will be chock full of the most reliable data concerning America that have ever been presented to foreigners since the days of Columbus.

One of the first special trips arranged for the foreign delegates is from Syracuse to the Green lakes, those curious little bodies of water which originated in the glacial period and arouse the deepest interest among scientists.

Another elaborate side trip has been arranged at St. Paul and Minneapolis. The geographers will be met at St. Paul by a committee of citizens, who, after entertaining them at luncheon, will take them in automobiles to Fort Snelling, where a delegation of citizens of Minneapolis will meet them. Under this double escort the visitors will be piloted through the gorge of the Mississippi.

Duluth will also provide several side trips, on which the visitors will be looked after by a special delegation of citizens.

To Visit Glacier National Park.

From Seattle or Tacoma, if time permits, the visiting scientists will be taken to the beautiful Glacier National park and introduced to that splendid monarch, Mount Rainier, which they will partly scale by means of the road that runs up its slopes to Paradise park.

Still another excursion is being arranged at Memphis. Under the auspices of the Memphis Business Men's club the foreigners and their American hosts will be taken down the Mississippi river in a boat especially chartered for the purpose from Memphis to Helena, Ark. This trip, which will last about seven hours, is regarded as a most valuable adjunct to the transcontinental excursion, as it is felt by the Americans acting as guides that altogether too many foreign visitors see the greatest of our rivers only while crossing it on a railroad bridge. Special value will be added to this river trip by the presence on the boat of members of the Mississippi river commission, with full sets of river maps, which show the Mississippi to the minutest detail.

The trip will end the middle of October in Washington. There the party will spend a day in inspecting the interesting points around the city. On Oct. 17 the special train will start for New York, where the members of the party will attend several meetings of a more formal character, at which papers will be read and discussed by those present.

As will be readily understood, these are busy days indeed up at the new building of the American Geographical society, the completion of which last year has caused this round of instruction and pleasure. It is quite worthy of starting such a commotion, for, as has been said, no geographical society anywhere else can boast of such a home.

American Geographical Society.

It forms one of a beautiful group of buildings just west of Broadway and occupies part of the old Audubon park, New York. It is in the style of the Italian renaissance and is built entirely of Indiana limestone. It has four stories and a basement, which affords ample space for the storing of geographical books, maps, etc.

The floors on which the book stacks stand are of plate glass, and the stacks are of cast iron with silver finish, the shelves of corrugated steel. No wood enters into any part of the construction.

The first, third and fifth stack floors are connected by metal doorways with the office, editorial and map floors, respectively, of the main building. The second, fourth and sixth stack floors are mezzanine floors or entresols, which have connection with the floors of the main building by the stairways that lead from the bottom to the top of the stack floors.

A large metal book lift, operated by electricity, connects the basement with each of the six stack floors and also with the first, second and third floors of the main building. If the lift is to be moved to any one of these floors a button is pressed, and the lift stops at the floor designated, and not till it stops can the doors to the lift be opened. If the buttons on two or more floors are simultaneously pressed the lift does not move.

The reading room is ample for laying out the latest issues of all exchanges from foreign societies. The map floor, occupying the third story, has immense storage capacity for maps and atlases. Rows of dust proof cases extending across the map room contain maps in sheets. The collection of historical and other atlases is in the atlas room. On the fourth floor is a map drawing department.

The American Geographical society was founded nearly sixty one years ago. At its second meeting, held in 1852—sixty years ago—a manuscript was read from the renowned explorer, David Livingstone, describing his discoveries in South Africa. Of the 115 geographical societies now in existence it was the eighth to be organized. Archer M. Huntington is its president. Among his predecessors were George Bancroft, the historian; Seth Low and Robert E. Peary.

HE SLEEPS ON A PLANK.

Soap Boxes Support His Bed in House Office Building.

Judge William Charles Adamson, congressman from the Fourth district of Georgia, is the only man in congress who has his Washington residence in the house office building.

The solons in providing for the house building made a point of excluding beds or lounges. Sofas and other couches are permitted in the senate office building, but not on the house side.

Judge Adamson, now chairman of the interstate and foreign commerce committee, was not satisfied with this arrangement. He had been used to taking a nap every day in his law office at Carrollton and declared that coming to congress would not deprive him of his siesta.

He made a still hunt through the house office building for a room in a retired nook where he could take his nap. He found it and in the course of a few days secured a broad, thick plank cut from a Georgia turpentine tree, which he supported on two soap boxes and covered with an army blanket and made a sung couch with a natural spring in the middle. That became the "Washington residence of William Charles Adamson of Georgia," as the Congressional Directory puts it.

She Hated Flattery.

"I hate flattery," she said.

"Of course you do," he replied. "Every pretty girl does."

Then she drew a long, deep sigh and permitted him to press her cheek against his own.—Chicago Record-Herald.

ENGLAND'S GUINEA HABIT.

They Have No Such Coin There, Yet Still They Use It.

Strangers in foreign countries always find some difficulty in getting used to the current coinage. In England they find themselves up against quite a number of problems, not the least of which is the guinea, and the difficulty is not lessened by the fact that the guinea is practically obsolete as a coin of the realm. The English physician's fee is always calculated as so many guineas, and the same thing holds good at a sale of pictures or whatnot at Christie's salesrooms.

The guinea is a gold coin current for 21 shillings sterling, or about $5, but it has not been coined since the issue of the sovereign in 1817.

The guinea habit has been defended by some subtle dealers on the ground that it obfuscates the "foreign visitors to British salesrooms." On the other hand, those astute cambists have been known to growl at a few thousand sterling added to the price of a valuable picture by the adhesion to the guinea style of bidding. The story runs that the guinea was so called from the pieces struck from the bullion captured by Sir Harry Holmes in 1666 from 160 Dutch sail in Schelling bay, the bullion being from Guinea. But Shakespeare has an earlier play on the word when he mentions "guinea hen" in "Othello" as regards the auction usage of the guinea. There can be little doubt that it is a survival of the times when the extra shilling was treated as a five per cent commission, payable by the buyer. Double commissions are, however, now obsolete.—Chicago Record-Herald.

SOURCE OF SHELLAC.

East India Insects and Trees That Produce the Substance.

India is the home of the Coccus lacca, the insects that produce the resinous substance known as shellac. The females puncture the twigs of several different kinds of trees, among them the bo, the bihar and the butea, and the twigs become incrusted with a hard, nearly transparent, reddish, resinous substance that serves the double purpose of protecting the eggs and finally furnishing food for the young insects.

The incrusted twigs are broken from the trees before the young insects escape and are thoroughly dried in the sun. These dried twigs are called "stick-lac," and from them shellac and a dye analogous to cochineal are prepared. "Seed-lac" is the resinous concretion separated from the twigs, coarsely pounded and triturated with water in a mortar, by which nearly all of the coloring matter is removed.

To prepare shellac the seed-lac is put into oblong cotton cloth bags and warmed over a charcoal fire. When the resin begins to melt the bags are twisted, and the pure clear resin is allowed to flow over fig wood planks or the smooth stems of the banyan tree and cools in the thin plates or shells which constitute shellac.

Pure shellac is very valuable. It is much harder than colophony and is easily soluble in alcohol.

They Have an 'Arbor.

A member of the London county council was regretting the lack of art sense displayed by his fellows when they placed an open space at the disposal of the people. He pleaded eloquently for fountains, goldfish in ornamental basins, lions and unicorns in stucco and emerald green garden seats.

"Why," said he, in a splendid peroration, "we want something homely and countrylike—a little arbor here and there. If a foreigner came to this country and asked to see one we've never an arbor worth showing to show him."

Then up and spake another member, who, prior to attaining the height of his civic ambitions, had been a petty officer in the navy.

"Oh, we 'aven't, 'aven't we? And wot about Portsmouth 'arbor?"—London Strand.

Deceiving.

Minister—I'm sorry to find you coming out of a public house again, Hamish, after all you promised me. Hamish—Aye, sir, it's wonnerful what an awfu' deceivin' thing this mist is. D'ye ken, I went in there the noo thinkin' 'twas the butcher's shop.—London Tit-Bits.

MONSTER WHALES.

A Dozen Men Might Stand Upright in the Blue's Big Mouth.

Specimens of the blue or sulphur bottom whale weighing seventy-five tons and measuring eighty-seven feet have been known. The mouth is sufficiently large to permit ten or twelve men to stand upright in it, but the throat measures only about nine inches in diameter.

The "finback," closely related to the blue whale, has been called the "greyhound of the sea," for its long, slender body is built on the lines of a racing yacht, and the animal can equal the speed of the fastest steamship.

The "humpback" is the most interesting of our large whales, because of the fact that its habits are more easily studied than are those of other members of the family.

But most extraordinary of all is the square nosed sperm whale. Instead of having plates of baleen, this whale carries a row of twenty to twenty-five heavy teeth on each side of the lower jaw. These fit into sockets in the roof of the mouth and assist in holding the giant squid and cuttlefish on which the enormous animal feeds. The squid seldom gets away from the warm currents; hence the sperm usually remains in the tropics and in the gulf of Japan streams.—London Family Herald.

VALUE OF A PASSPORT.

The Odd Experience of a Stranded Tourist in Paris.

"Until you go broke in a foreign country you never can realize just what a useful thing a passport is," said the returned traveler. "It not only enables you to get into a country; it also helps you to get out, sometimes in a most unexpected way. Everybody abroad thinks well of a passport, but nobody sets quite so high a value on it as a pawnbroker.

"Owing to a delayed remittance I had occasion to visit one of those men in Paris. The article I offered for security was worth many times the loan requested, but he refused an advance on account of unsatisfactory references. My temporary address in Paris and my permanent address in Washington were not sufficient guarantee of my honesty.

"Just as the case assumed a desperate complexion the broker suggested a solution of the difficulty.

"'Have you a passport?' he asked.

"I had, at the hotel.

"'Fetch it,' he said. 'If that looks all right, I'll let you have the money.'

"Up to that time my passport had been a useless piece of luggage; then I blessed the foresight that had bidden me secure it."—Washington Star.

His Conquest.

He was a simon pure, edition de luxe lady killer. The girl in the seat opposite him was easy to look at. Further, she looked demure and shy and impressionable. It wasn't long before he had things going right—he thought. He had raised the window for her and readjusted the blind; he had fished her bag from under the seat, where the porter had shoved it; he had placed her pillow in a better position for her; he had handed her a magazine; he had looked after her comfort in every way he possibly could, and she had been very sweet about it besides. He thought he was coming along splendidly. She started to get off the train before he expected her to leave, but he carried her luggage to the platform for her. Then she turned and handed him a nickel with a sweet smile and the remark, "I think it is so nice of the railway company to furnish an assistant porter."—Argonaut.

And He Got That Wrong.

Ernst Thalman, the international banker, was greatly liked by newspaper men in Wall street. He spoke as an authority on all banking questions—in a strong German accent, however. Shortly before his death a reporter—one of his friends—interviewed him in regard to European finances.

The next day he met Mr. Thalman in Broad street and was halted by the banker, who made a great show of anger.

"I saw you yesterday," he said. "I told you noddings, and you got that wrong in your paper."—New York Mail.

VOGUE OF PLAITS.

The Last Cry in Modish Suits.

WALL SUIT IN KHAKI BROADCLOTH.

One of the famous French dressmakers emphasizes the use of khaki color in this suit of mustard yellow braid cloth recently received from Paris. In this model the skirt has back and front panels outlined with pipings of black satin. It is finished at the bottom with a side plaited flounce, giving increased fullness.

The medium length coat buttons high at the neck with one directoire revers, faced with black satin and with black braid appliqué. Motifs of black and pipings also appear on the skirt front and back panels.

The high directoire collar in black satin is overlaid with a smaller collar in lingerie effect.

TO CLEAN A SWEATER.

Dainty Women Prefer White Ones That Soil Easily.

A sweater is one of the necessities of the seashore or mountain wardrobe. No other wrap can take its place. The dainty woman always prefers the creamy white ones, but often hesitates to buy because of the seeming difficulty of cleaning them. The following method simplifies that process so that no one need hesitate to buy one on that account. Woolen blankets may be cleaned in the same manner.

A quarter of a bar of a good white soap is melted over the stove. To this is added about half a cupful of ammonia. Enough hot water is run into the pan or tub to cover the sweater. The soap and ammonia are stirred in, and then the sweater is placed in. With a stick or the top of a washboard this is stirred and turned until the dirt is out. Rinse in several waters, then lay on a slanting board to drain, but do not squeeze dry.

There are several methods of drying. One is to fasten a sheet flat over several clothes lines and spread the sweater on that in the sun.

Robespierre Vests.

The Robespierre "gilet" promises to be a notable feature. Seen recently was a gown from a renowned atelier in shot taffeta—rose with silver lights—the perfectly straight, unadorned skirt just eased into the waist while the corsage, cut with long shoulder seams, was similarly treated, the front cut away to reveal a vest of white silk visibly buttoning up the center to a short distance above the figure line, where it was thrown back with a great pointed collar, the front angle unlished with a deep falling frill of lace.

The sleeves were long and close fitting to the wrist, great ruffles of lace falling over the hands. But to bring about a wrinkled suggestion on the inside of the arm just at the bend of the elbow three or four tiny tucks were arranged, and the waist belt consisted of a crossway fold of dull mauve taffetas, terminating in front with a great spiky bow poised in a diagonal position.

Floor Wax.

The floor polishes purchased are sometimes not satisfactory, but a very fine wax may be made at home with but little trouble.

To every pound of beeswax allow three pints of turpentine. Cut the wax into small pieces and put these into a pan. Set the pan in a saucepan of boiling water and let the beeswax melt thoroughly. Take it off the fire, add the turpentine to the beeswax and mix them well together. This preparation should be mixed at a distance from the fire.

Boudoir Caps.

The boudoir cap is in fashion again, and, though less fully and fluffy round the head, it contains quite as much material as those of last year. Some are made of the very finest lawn, while others are entirely of lace. The idea is to cover the hair during the various processes of the toilet, but the cap has been found so dainty and pretty that it is often worn when the toilet is quite complete, and it forms a charming adjunct of the breakfast table.

When our hatred is too bitter it places us below those whom we hate.—La Rochefoucauld.

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"You're a queer person," I told her.

"Now, won't you let me say to Hap that he may come up after luncheon?" She tried to keep me from shaking my head. "I'm afraid he will come, even if you don't say so. I've had a terrible time keeping him out while you slept. He went to 'own for the roses"—she pointed to them—"and was back in an hour. I don't know how he escaped being arrested for speeding. By the way, the detective is here. He wants to ask you some questions when you are well enough to see him. We've had an exciting morning being questioned. He's rather a nice-looking chap. I think Natalie found her interview with him much more agreeable than she expected. His eyes are blue," she finished irrelevantly.

"Has he talked to Mr. Abbott?"

"Yes. He and John—by the way, his name is Adams—went over to Winthrop's this morning. Winthrop came back with them; he came to play golf. He was unusually cheerful, too. He has finished his novel. I don't think he cares how many emerald bracelets he is accused of stealing, since that is over. And I'm forgetting to tell you that Mrs. Dykeman has dug up a German count. I don't know how he ranks. He's a connoisseur on art, or some kind of a high-brow. She's giving a German musicale next week. Ich dien! Oh! We had a message from the Schuylers. The general is entirely out of danger."

I lay on the couch for a long time thinking after Laura had gone, and Celie had arranged my hair and tenderly gotten me into a negligee. I tried—tried desperately—to see a way out of all the robberies for Winthrop and I could not do it. Except for the ruby, when Laura had proved that he was at home, and the woman in the corridor, every circumstance pointed to him. What did he actually know of it all? Was he shielding some one? A woman? But that thought was ugly. I had rather believe him a thief!

The door of my sitting-room, leading into the corridor, was standing open, for the day was intensely hot, and I caught the sound of Hap's voice. He was talking to his mother. I listened, not deliberately to what he said, but just to hear his voice; and because there was no one to see, I arose and buried my face in the roses—his roses. It was wrong to listen; I knew it. I could not fail to hear what he said.

At first the full meaning of his words did not strike me, nor even the tone of the argument. I was thinking of other things. Then he spoke my name. He was angry; I listened, amazed.

"I don't care if she is a thief," he said. "I want her, and I'm going to have her. I'd marry her if she is proved a thief a thousand times. And I wouldn't believe her a thief if I saw her stealing!"

His mother's answer I didn't want to hear. An instant later I stood in the doorway across the corridor.

"Don't believe him," I said to his mother. "He isn't going to marry me."

Hap, with an exclamation of concern, threw some pillows into a chair and indicated an intention to carry me to it.

"I'm not an invalid," I insisted. And I walked to the chair. "I've just a silly broken arm, otherwise I am quite fit. Now, tell me why am I a thief again?" I was quite calm about it, but I had to sit down, for my knees were shaky and I was realizing why Laura had said such queer things to me.

Hap made some choky noises like men do when they want to swear; Mrs. Hazard pressed her handkerchief to her lips.

"Just because I found some jewels in the card room, and can't tell you who put them there, or why they were there?" The whole thing suddenly struck me as absurd and amusing. I laughed. "My story isn't plausible?"

Mrs. Hazard began to cry—what a blessing tears are to a woman—and it was so different from her dear chuckle I could not resist the impulse to go to her and put my only good arm around her fat neck.

"Please don't cry," I begged. "I can't see that it's worth one little tear. I'm not going to let him marry me, be sure of that; and the other only concerns myself."

"My dear child," she sobbed, "I feel responsible for everything. I told your sister I would take care of you."

"You distinctly said you would not be responsible for any lacerated affections, and you certainly can't help it if I'm a thief. I tried to get him on the right track, but—"

"Right track!" she sobbed.

"Right track?" Hap echoed.

And, notwithstanding the gravity of the situation and the tears running down her fat cheeks, Mrs. Hazard chuckled. She dabbed at her eyes.

"I said, too, you might pick a plum from the social pudding, and I had no objection. If the plum happens to be my own son it's my own fault."

"What are you two talking about?" Hap demanded. "I love her, and I'm going to marry her whether she's a thief or not."

"All right, take her," Mrs. Hazard replied, giving me a gentle push, and Hap gazed at her with that comically surprised expression. "Just be sure to pour the coffee for him every morning at breakfast, my very dear little girl, and you have my blessing. It just occurs to me that I've never yet made a mistake in estimating a person, and I'm not going to begin now."

"But gracious me!" I exclaimed, as Hap swept me to my feet and shamelessly kissed me, "I'm accused of stealing."

"We'll have to prove you innocent!" Her tone was final. "I must have my judgment vindicated."

"But—"

"The bag was my brother's," she interrupted belligerently. "It occurs to me that he needs to do some explaining."

"Surely you don't think—?"

"I don't think anything, after the fool I've just made of myself trying to. We have a detective here now to do the thinking. If he thinks wrong, I'll discharge him. Why isn't your story true? You heard a noise in the gallery; you're a brave girl and you went to see what it was. I would have been crazy with curiosity myself. If you don't know why a thief put down a bag of jewels on the floor of the card-room and left it there for you to find, why you can't help it. Natalie having a pistol and you knowing it is just a coincidence. The thieves didn't get to her, that's all. The door of the back stairs was open and a hammer was dropped on the court where a hammer doesn't belong. It's quite plain that the thieves came from outside, since I've had the common sense to think of it."

But I saw how unreasonable my story was as she repeated it. The absurdity of my being in the card-room when I had said the noise was in the gallery, the absolutely ridiculous idea that a thief had put down a bag of loot on the floor of the card-room for me to pick up, and yet that's what he did—it was all a child's story. And I couldn't speak of Winthrop, nor of Thomas without mentioning Winthrop, and Winthrop had enough to do to explain the emerald bracelet.

"There won't be any further trouble," she went on. "Every jewel has been taken to a bank until somebody has been proven guilty. Now let the detective solve it. And he may just as well prove Winthrop innocent while he's at it. Winthrop is a farmer, not a thief." She dismissed the subject with an airy motion of her fat hand. "Since you've got Hap on the right track—"

"What's this right track thing?" Hap demanded.

"A scheme, a put-up job, to make you notice me," I replied. "But I had to do it; it was a part of my job." I suddenly covered my face with my hands.

"I guess you're satisfied then," Hap grinned. "And now you refuse to marry me after deliberately—"

"You surely don't believe I intended—" I cried.

"I don't know what you intended, but I know what's going to be." Hap put his arm about me in that masterful Hazard way.

The Hazards are a stubborn lot, and when they want a thing they get it. When I went back to my room, carefully shutting the door in Hap's face, the mystery was still a mystery. I couldn't see but that I had a badly damaged reputation, and I had promised Hap, with his mother's consent, to let him share it.

That night the mystery, instead of clearing, deepened. Jo disappeared! And not only that, but she had been taken away—forcibly abducted! Adams, the detective who was there to protect us, was found bound and gagged at the foot of the stairs leading to the tennis courts.

CHAPTER XXIV.

The Search.

We knew Jo had been taken away by force because a woman does not, of her own free will, go out dressed only in a silk petticoat, a flimsy dressing-gown, and a pair of thin bedroom slippers, even if the weather is warm. Adams, the detective, whom John found tied up hard and fast, told us the little he knew of what had happened, when he could talk—poor fellow! And although I tried not to get shrieky and faint, I threw myself across the pillow where Jo's dear old dark head had rested, and came very near doing both. I tried to tell myself that she was all right, that we should find her soon, alive! I didn't believe it. I could only see that whoever took her away did so for a purpose, that they would kill her, or perhaps—had!

It was the culmination of an awful day. After what I had gone through morning and afternoon, I could not go down to dinner. The doctor said "No," with that capital N, and I hated him. And I was exasperated with Jo, who, after playing golf with John all morning, played golf with him all afternoon—or said she did—and sat outside on the terrace all evening with a woman! I could not catch a word of what they were saying. I was sure he was making love to her.

"I could not complain of being neglected, for the doctor had ordered Jo down-stairs and told me to go to sleep, adding that my temperature was up and my heart queer. Celie put me to bed, but when Jo came finally I was sitting up, crying softly and scratching the palm of my hand.

Poor old Jo! She patted me to sleep, but it was a restless, fitful sleep, and at two o'clock I changed to the couch in the sitting room because I imagined the salty breeze that came in through the open windows would soothe me. I must have slept soundly after that. I did not hear Jo when she awoke; I did not know what had become of her.

When I could compose my thoughts I remembered to search for the pistol which Natalie had returned the day before. It was gone, but I could gain no satisfaction from that because, evidently, Jo had not used the pistol and the reason of that was quite clear to me: they had disarmed her.

Adams said there were three men. He had heard sounds but couldn't locate them until he came into the upper hallway, when he heard the door at the foot of the stairs leading to the tennis courts slam. He had a flashlight and he said he wasn't many seconds getting to the bottom of those stairs. When he opened the door some one struck him a terrific blow on the head, and when he regained consciousness he was bound securely, hand and foot, and gagged. He had not recognized any of the men—it was still dark—nor were their voices familiar to him.

They had gone toward the ninth hole and they were carrying some one. He know that the person was a woman. That was all. What had happened before he heard the sounds

"Don't Believe Him. He Isn't Going to Marry Me."

he didn't know. His wrists were badly cut and bleeding where he had struggled to release himself; he had dragged himself to the door and banged on it, but no one had heard him.

At the end of an hour we knew that Jo's abductors had crossed the wire fence to the pasture, a mile down the shore, for a piece of the dark blue dressing-gown that was missing from her wardrobe was found on the wire where, evidently, it had caught. A little farther on, one of her slippers was found. But there all trace of the thieves and Jo ended.

We telephoned for Winthrop and he came immediately. He knew more about that part of the country in a minute than any of the rest of us in a year. But noontime brought nothing more, and afternoon still nothing. Then the police were notified and that brought also newspaper men and photographers. The police and the newspapers seemed the end of our desperate hoping.

Doctor Graham came and barricaded me in my sitting-room when the reporters began to arrive, with Celie as sentinel. He said it would not do for me to see them; that I would be ill. Then the attempted jewel robbery leaked out—reporters just scent such things—embellished with my having heard suspicious noises, dramatically rushing out and saving the jewels, and plunging down the steps and breaking my arm as a fitting climax. An artist sketched one of the maids and added a broken arm, as they couldn't snap me; and the newspapers that afternoon came out with extras that sizzled.

But out of that episode Mr. Samuel Dick, of the Evening Columbian, concocted a very plausible story of Jo's disappearance. She had heard a noise, just as I had; she had investigated, which accounted for her having on as much as she had; she had perhaps recognized the thieves, which made it necessary for them to carry her away until they had made good their escape. They had left the detective behind because he had not learned who they were. Mr. Dick conjectured that we would find Jo alive, because if the thieves had intended to kill her they would not have taken the trouble to carry her off. The big question, of course, if we accepted this theory, was: Whom had she recognized? And that was a chance to display Mr. Dick's ability as a reporter. He wrote a lot and said nothing, but ended with a clever allusion to the emerald bracelet and Winthrop. The story breathed hope in every line, but it did not find Jo; and that's all I wanted—to find her!

The thieves had gone away empty-handed. Plainly they had come back also with John, where the sound of their voices floated up to me, punctuated occasionally with laughter from both of them. He never in his life did such a thing as sit on the terrace all evening with a woman! I could not catch a word of what they were saying. I was sure he was making love to her.

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Just Because He Was a Duke and Was Lying Around Loose.

pump and the jack into the tonneau the only thing in sight was a milk-wagon. Now, I don't think Charlie ever took a drink of milk in his life, but milk is better than nothing and Charlie hailed the wagon. While he was drinking the milk, the milkman began reading a morning paper. Charlie gazed at the back page, knowing that on the front page, just under the milkman's eyes, was a story, capped by a two-column head, to the effect that Miss Codman was still missing. He asked a perfectly silly question, with startling results:

"You don't happen to have seen a young woman, in a dark-blue dressing-gown, looking lost, strayed or stolen?"

"No, sir," the milkman answered, "but Bill, the stable boy where we keep the wagons"—he jerked his head toward the interior of the wagon—"says he thinks he knows about this here young woman who was stolen from Lone Oak. Are you a-looking for her?"

"Yes," admitted Charlie, "I'm a-looking for her."

The milkman whistled, then held up two fingers and dexterously expectorated between them.

"Well, Bill says he thinks he picked up them three men and the young woman on this here very road about four o'clock in the morning, and drove 'em about two miles. He ain't sure; he don't remember nothing about the dressing-gown, for it was dark and he didn't see it, but he said this morning that it did seem to him as if it must have been them."

A greenback changed hands, and the result was that the milkman agreed to take Charlie to the stable and introduce him to Bill.

Bill's story was that he had driven a couple who had missed the last train up, to a stable that boasted an automobile, and there he had turned back toward home. It was late then, or rather, early—somewhere between half-past three and four. At a point which he did not exactly remember, three men accosted him and asked if they might ride with him. He didn't consider this unusual, because it had happened to him before. The men were supporting a young woman between them. Bill concluded she had had too much. He was paid in advance, a bill which, in the light of a smoky kerosene stable lamp later, turned out to be ten dollars, but that, too, had happened to Bill before when he had given a lift to a "souse."

They rode what Bill judged to be about two miles, and got out at a path evidently leading to a house, just before coming to a small bridge. He remembered the bridge distinctly. They had called "good-night" to him. One of them, he thought, spoke in German. He had ceased to think of the incident until he saw the row the newspapers had kicked up about a young woman having been, presumably, abducted from a place in that vicinity on that very morning. He had hesitated about informing the police, because he didn't want to get mixed up 'bout nothing when he wasn't sure 'bout nothing, and didn't know nobody; and he couldn't be spared from the stable to go to court 'bout nothing.

But when he had been promised full pay for any time lost and a guarantee of his job from the owner of the stable, he consented to accompany Charlie to Lone Oak, if the milkman would go also, and place himself and his information at the disposal of whoever wanted it. He gave Charlie a slipper which he had found in the carriage. It was Jo's.

The terrace became a newspaper office, and at the rustic tables where we usually had tea in the late afternoon reporters were frantically writing. The photographers snapped Bill and the milkman every time they looked up.

It was quite a procession that went down the driveway to take Bill to the spot near the small bridge where the men and their victim had alighted. Winthrop said he knew the path and the bridge—it was perhaps four miles or more below Lone Oak—and if Jo's abductors had left the carriage there he was certain it was not to follow the path. He knew it led to a little house and a celery farm, owned by an old German couple named Hingelmuller, simple, honest folk who certainly had no hand in an abduction or in concealing any one who had. But everybody went, just the same, and rather eagerly when it was remembered that Bill said he thought one of the men spoke in German.

The little old couple were astonished at the intrusion, but answered questions straightforwardly, and because Winthrop, who knew them well, requested it, allowed a search of their house and premises. Absolutely no trace of any person was found. The detectives and—more to the point—the newspaper men were finally convinced that the Hingelmullers knew nothing. If it had not been for the slipper, it is probable Bill's story would have been entirely discredited.

The bridge spanned a small brook that ran through the Hingelmullers' celery farm on one side of the road, coming through an estate on the other belonging to a family who had been abroad for three years. This estate was vacant. The house was some distance from the stream, and stood on a knoll that gave a view of the ocean. It was surrounded by weed- and overgrowth.

The detectives decided to inspect this house. A careful search, however, proved conclusively that no one had been near the place. The house was securely shuttered, its shutters and porches thick with dust. There was no indication anywhere of the weeds having been trampled. It was reasonably certain that the house neither was nor had been occupied for some time. But the police took the responsibility of tearing off a shutter and searching. Inside was the same coating of dust, no footprints anywhere, no signs of anything having been disturbed.

The search from that time on seemed to stand still. Bill and the milkman were sent back to the stable handsomely rewarded, but the story came to naught, just as everything else had. We were no nearer finding Jo than we had been the morning of her disappearance.

John still expected a demand for ransom, so did Mr. Partridge, who broke two pairs of glasses the morning he came, rubbing them. I had ceased to hope. I nursed my broken arm and cried every time I looked—and I looked often—at Jo's long, slim gowns hanging on their pegs. Just how it happened the newspapers hadn't discovered Jo's connection with Mme. Gautier, Robes et Manteaux, I do not know. It's a fact that all the stories referred to her as Mrs. Hazard's guest, the beautiful Miss Codman. Perhaps it made a better story.

We dragged through Sunday. Winthrop had taken the reporters into his home, for there was no such thing as a hotel near us. We discovered that Sam Dick was an '07, and Sunday evening Mrs. Hazard brought him in to see me—she's soft-hearted about reporters anyhow. He told me he wouldn't print anything I said if I didn't wish it, but he simply had to be able to tell his city editor that he had seen me; that he would like to take a message to the other boys. I told him I'd stand for what he chose to tell them. He's a dandy chap.

Monday morning Mrs. Hazard authorized the newspaper men to say that twenty-five thousand dollars would be paid for Jo returned alive. I didn't have to be told who had offered to pay it.

(To be continued.)

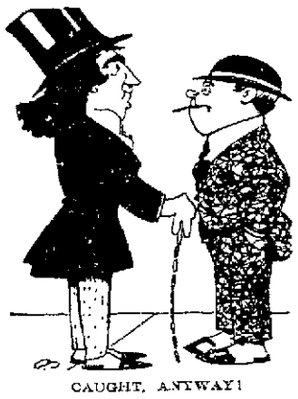
August Sunshine.

WHY, SURE.

Burnham—What's the reason they're holding up my insurance?

Adjuster—There's a suspicion that your fire was not accidental.

Burnham—But this is fire insurance, not accident insurance.



CAUGHT, ANYWAY!

"I understand that your new opera has very catchy music."

"Well, most of it's being 'hooked.'"

HER ANSWER.

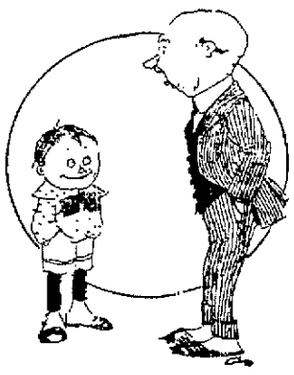
Daisy—Where did Mr. Mush call on you the last time?

Dolly—He hasn't called on me the last time, if you please.

HER OBSERVATION.

George—Love is said to brighten the eye.

Loraine—I don't know about that, but it has a tendency to disarrange one's hair.



AN ODD NUMBER.

"Say, pop, what is an Odd Fellow?"

"The one man at a summer resort."

TAPPING HIS DAD.

Johnny—Pa?

His Dad—Yes.

Johnny—Teacher says that we're here to help others.

His Dad—Of course, we are.

Johnny—Well, what are the others here for?

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.
Pittsburg 9, Boston 4.
Cincinnati 2, New York 0.
Chicago 6, Brooklyn 0.
Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 5.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	81	35	.698
Chicago	76	41	.650
Pittsburg	69	49	.585
Philadelphia	57	58	.496
Cincinnati	56	63	.471
St. Louis	52	66	.441
Brooklyn	43	75	.364
Boston	35	82	.299

GAMES TODAY.
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YESTERDAY'S SCORES.
St. Louis 9, Washington 3.
Philadelphia 4, Detroit 2.
*Boston 8, Chicago 8.
New York 8, Cleveland 4.
New York 6, Cleveland 4.

*Called in 12th account darkness.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	82	37	.689
Washington	75	47	.615
Philadelphia	7[illegible]	46	.613
Chicago	60	58	.508
Detroit	56	67	.455
Cleveland	52	64	.433
New York	43	75	.364
St. Louis	39	82	.322

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St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.

FRICK LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES.
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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Phillips	5	1	.833
Juniata	4	2	.667
York Run	4	2	.667
Edenborn	4	2	.667
Leisenring No. 2	3	4	.425
Mammoth	2	4	.333
Standard	2	4	.333
Whitney	0	5	.000

GAMES TODAY.
Standard at Phillips.
York Run at Whitney.

PLEASANT VALLEY LOSES

Frick Outfit Trims Opponents by Score of 10 to 2; 2,000 There.

Fricks handed the Pleasant Valley outfit at Continental No. 1 yesterday afternoon, a wad of 10 to 2, which was witnessed by almost 2,000. Clingan's pitching for the Frick bunch did the work. His support was all to the merry, too.

Following is the tale of woe:

FRICK	R	H	P	A	E
[illegible], cf	0	1	1	0	0
Coughanour, 3b	1	3	1	4	1
[illegible], 2b	2	4	3	3	0
Angus, ss	2	2	3	2	0
W[illegible]son, m	2	3	0	0	0
[illegible], lf	0	1	2	0	0
[illegible], c	1	1	5	2	0
F. Williams, 1b	0	2	12	0	0
Clingan, p	0	1	0	2	0
Total	10	20	27	11	1

VALLEY	R	H	P	A	E
B. Long, ss	0	1	3	2	3
Glidden, 1b	0	0	12	1	0
A. Kinsel, [illegible]	0	0	3	2	0
Landman, 2b	0	0	1	8	0
*F. Kinsel	0	1	0	0	0
**Kinsel, lf	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, lf	0	0	2	0	0
C. Long, cf	0	1	6	0	0
Probst, c	1	1	5	2	0
Gray, p	1	1	0	1	0
Total	2	5	27	19	3

*Batted for Williams in 7th. **Ran for F. Kinsel in 7th.

[illegible]

SCORE BY INNINGS.
Frick ... 0 0 0 5 [illegible] 0 1 3 0—10
Valley ... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

SUMMARY.
Two base hits—B. Williams, Fisher, Angus, Coughanour. Three base hit—Gray. Left on bases—Frick 8, Valley 2. Struck out—by Gray 7, by Clingan 5. Base on balls—off Gray 2. Umpire—Gronninger. Scorer—Albright. Attendance—2,000. Time of game—1:56.

Phillips Plays Standard Today.

Phillips meets Standard at Phillips Park this afternoon at 3 o'clock, to play what is touted will be one of the fastest games of the Frick League.

Somerset Court Records.

Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, Aug. 28.—The following deals in Somerset county real estate have been consummated during the past week:

Orange M. Shaffer to Andrew Polack, Somerset township, $125; Somerset Hotel Company to David Geier, Somerset township, $500; Dora Rereca to John Chippi, Windber, $347; William H. Cook, Jr., to A. J. Cook, Southampton township, $1; Caroline Yoder to Sarah Shoults, Stonycreek township, $300; James L. Pugh's assignees to Somerset Trust Company, Somerset, $11,250; Charles H. Fyoes to Harriet Ward, Hooversville, $400; Katherine Bell to Milton C. Horner, Meyersdale, $1,000; Martha L. Bowman to Daniel P. Zimmerman, Quemahoning township, $585; Nelson R. Miller to Annie M. Kimmell, Jenner township, $1,600.

Letters of administration have recently been issued as follows:

Peter Miller, estate of Nancy Miller, late of Stoyestown, Bond $10,000.

W. L. Morgan, estate of Elizabeth D. Morgan, late of Meyersdale, Bond $[illegible].

Maude E. Ellis, estate of Josiah Ellis, late of Confluence. Bond $500.

Clerk of Orphans Court Bert F. Landis has recently issued marriage licenses to the following parties:

Jacob D. Hochey and Miss Ida H. Seese, both of Windber.

The will of Franklin Weller, late of Lincoln township, was probated yesterday. He left his estate to his four children, Mrs. Barbara Holder, Harriet E., Larimer, Wesley F. Weller, and Harry W. Weller, the two sons being named as executors. The will was dated July 24, 1911, and witnessed by Pierce Miller and Attorney Louis C. Colborn.

Abraham G. Landis, late of Stonycreek township, left the sum of $200 to his widow, Harriet Landis. His son, Robert J. Landis, is given the option of purchasing testator's farm for $600. Daniel and Edmund D. Landis are appointed executors. The will was dated February 4, 1910, and witnessed by L. E. Brant and J. G. Kimmell.

The following matters have been acted upon in the Orphans Court recently:

In the estate of Rebecca Lyon, late of Northampton township, order of sale awarded John S. Gartman, administrator. Bond $1,000.

Amendment of bond allowed in the estate of John E. Klare, late of Meyersdale. Administrator's bond reduced from $10,000 to $300.

In the estate of Jacob Hoffman, late of Jenner township, auditor's report confirmed.

Percy L. Mostoller appointed guardian of Anna Belle Racey, a minor, in the estate of Uriah Mostoller, late of Somerset township. Bond $650.

In the estate of Nathaniel Sliear, late of Meyersdale, Somerset Trust Company appointed trustee. Bond $16,000.

Order of sale awarded County Trust Company, guardian, in the estate of Elizabeth Lape, late of Shade township. Bond $300.

In the estate of Frank Serupski, late of Windber, order of sale awarded Sidney Roden, administrator. Bond $3,500.

Inquest awarded in the estate of T. J. Bird, late of Confluence.

In the estate of William Boyts, late of Somerset township, Attorney Virgil R. Saylor appointed auditor.

Johnstown Trust Company appointed guardian of Arminta C. and Stewart W. Hechler, minors, in the estate of Stewart W. Hechler, late of Paint township. Bond $10,500.

In the estate of Lou A. Smith, late of Meyersdale, Attorney W. Curtis Truxal discharged as administrator.

Scene When James Thorpe, World's Greatest Athlete, Was Congratulated by Mayor Gaynor on His Success

GAYNOR CONGRATULATING THORPE

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian school pupil who is the world's champion all around athlete, attracted much attention at the reception to the Olympic victors in this city. His name adorned the automobile in which he rode in the parade, and his appearance was the signal for applause, especially from the public school scholars. It was noticed that Thorpe bore himself with the typical attitude of his race and seldom looked to the right or the left. If he was embarrassed by the attention he received he did not show it. When he was congratulated by Mayor Gaynor he smiled and shook hands cordially. Mayor Gaynor was particularly warm in his greeting.

TEN WED IN SOMERSET

"Frosty Sons of Thunder" Fall to Chill Little Winged God.

SOMERSET, Aug. 28.—Miss Grace Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Snyder, and James B. Frazenbaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Frazenbaker, both of Addison Township, were married at Jackson Valley, Pa., August 24, by the Rev. Henry B. Smith.

Miss Annie Ruth Hileman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hileman, of Addison, and Lloyd A. Glass, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Glass, of Morgantown, W. Va., were married at Pittsburg, August 23, by the Rev. Dr. Carl August Vose.

Miss Mary E. Ringer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Urias Ringer, of Listonburg, and James E. Weyant, of Humbert, were married at the parsonage of the Somerset Lutheran church, August 24, by the Rev. I. Hess Wagner.

Miss Mary Philson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Philson, of Ralphton, and John L. Griffith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Griffith, of Pittsburg, were married at the parsonage of the Somerset United Evangelical church, August 23, by the Rev. Virgil C. Zener.

Miss Ethel L. Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Roberts, and Henry E. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hoffman, both of Belmont, were married at the parsonage of the Jennertown Reformed church, August 24, by the Rev. W. H. Millhouse.

Miss Idella E. Hershberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli J. Hershberger, of Middlecreek township, and Preston W. Cramer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Cramer, of Milford township, were married at New Centreville, August 21, by Justice of the Peace Daniel W. Will.

Miss Cora Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kelley, and Henry I. Statler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Statler, both of Windber, were married at Windber, August 22, by Justice of the Peace Robert G. Colborn.

Miss Anna Louise Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane, of Berlin, and Harry E. Menges, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Menges, of Brothers Valley township, were married at Berlin, August 21, by the Rev. H. B. Burkholder.

Miss Margaret V. Shaffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaffer, and Christian H. Yinkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian H. Yinkey, both of Somerset township, were married at the parsonage of the Somerset Lutheran church, August 26, by the Rev. I. Hess Wagner.

Miss Missouri Hutzell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hutzell, of Glencoe, and Joseph Rozzi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rozzi, of Holsopple, were married at the residence of the officiating magistrate, Justice of the Peace Kore Kaufman, in Conemaugh township, August 22.

FLAT ROCK COAL COMPANY IS ORGANIZED AT HONAKER, W. VA.

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The organizers are H. V. Brothers, of Indiana, who has had twenty-two years experience in every department of coal mining, and W. O. Brothers, a successful business and mining man of California.

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POISON ON ARMS HANDS AND FACE

Appeared as Rash. Swelling and Itching. Became Sores. Greatly Disfigured. Could Not Sleep. Bought Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Skin Clear. No Return.

1202 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.—"My hands and face were seriously affected by what I thought to be poison from some plant. It first appeared as a rash accompanied by swelling and itching. Through scratching the rash became decided sores and it was impossible for me to do my regular work or place my hands in water. The poison spread over my arms, as well as my hands and face and my skin, usually clear, was greatly disfigured. I suffered continually from the burning and itching and I could not sleep. For several weeks I had used ———, ——— ointment, and ———, with almost no relief. Then I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment, which produced immediate improvement and in about two weeks my skin was clear and there was no return of the trouble." (Signed) Mrs. Jos. R. Adams, Dec. 2, 1911.

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"My father persuaded me to take a course in domestic science."
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CONFIRMED PROOF.

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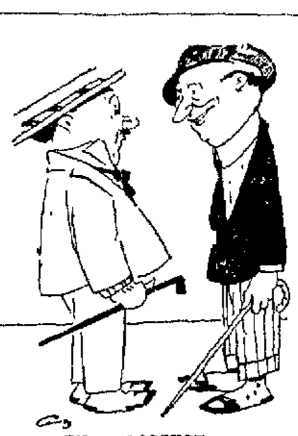

THE PROSPECT.

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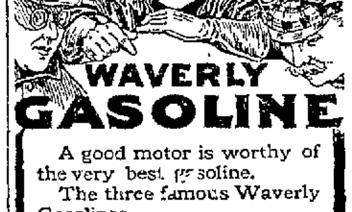

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